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HEADQUARTERS OFFICE
of the
NORTH CAROLINA STATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION
2301 Clark Avenue, Raleigh, N. C.
October 1, 1965 - September 30, 1966
Mrs. Marie B. Noell, R. N., Executive Director

Membership as of December 31, 1965	3,514
Membership as of September 30, 1966	3,682
Letters Written	10,412
Cards Written	408
Packages dispatched	2,083
Membership transfers:	
From one state nurses' association to another	34
From one district nurses' association to another	15
History of Nursing in North Carolina - copies sold	27
Orders processed for ANA pins	24

Conferences with Individuals Recorded:

Numerous conferences were held with officers, chairmen of committees, and members of the Association; section officers and committee chairmen; district officers and members and representatives of official registries; legal counsel; officials and personnel of allied organizations and departments and agencies of state government; hospital administrators; insurance administrator and insurance company representatives; student nurses; representatives of State Board of Nursing; representatives of federal agencies; North Carolina members of Congress; representatives of news media; employment agencies; hotel and convention managers; members of ANA staff; directors and teachers in schools of nursing; nurses and their representatives seeking to improve their working conditions; program participants for NCSNA conventions, conferences, and workshops; consultants. Informal conferences were held with members of the North Carolina General Assembly, as well as with leaders in policy-making groups with concerns affecting nursing and health care.

Field Work:

The following districts were visited: District Three, regular meeting; District Twelve, regular meeting; District Eleven; District Nine. Visits included addressing district associations, district sections and committees, and meeting with district boards of directors. Talks included discussion of NCSNA program, legislation, economic security, registries, section projects, revision of ANA functions, report on ANA biennial convention. Wherever possible, local health departments and hospitals were visited.

Staff Development:

Attended short course on Executive Development for Voluntary Health Agency Administrators at the Continuing Education Center, School of Public Health, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, November 1-5, 1965, Chapel Hill.

Meetings Attended:

National

ANA Advisory Council joint meeting with Special Committee on State Boards of Nursing, June 10, 1966, San Francisco

ANA Advisory Council, June 11, 1966, San Francisco
ANA Biennial Convention, June 13 - 17, 1966, San Francisco

Regional

Regional Committee on Continuing Education of National Health Council, June 21, 1966, Chapel Hill

State

NCSNA Annual Convention, October 26-29, 1965, Durham
NCSNA Board of Directors, Annual Meeting, October 26, 1965, Durham; Post-Convention Meeting, October 29, 1965, Durham; Midyear Meeting, March 16, 1966, Durham
Student Nurse Association of North Carolina, Annual Meeting, October 29-30, 1965, Durham; Annual Meeting, March 18-19, 1966, Durham
North Carolina Health Council, Executive Committee, October 8, 1965, Raleigh and May 25, 1966, Durham; Nominating Committee, November 23, 1965, Raleigh and September 16, 1966, Raleigh; Annual Meeting, December 7, 1965, Durham
Rural Health Conference of Medical Society of State of North Carolina, October 9, 1965, Raleigh
American Red Cross, Annual State Meeting, October 15, 1965, Durham; Wake County Chapter Annual Luncheon, February 2, 1966, Raleigh
North Carolina Conference for Social Service, Workshop of Health Committee, October 12, 1965, Raleigh; Annual Meeting, April 24-25, 1966, Raleigh
North Carolina Committee on Patient Care, October 15, 1965, Durham; January 14, April 1-2, July 22, 1966, Quail Roost, Durham
Duke University Council on Aging and Human Development, October 19, 1965, Durham
Conference of North Carolina Board of Nursing on new N. C. Nurse Practice Act, November 15, 1965, Wilson
State Legislative Council, Annual Meeting, November 23, 1965, Raleigh
State Advisory Committee for Associate Degree Programs of Community Colleges, December 3, 1965, and February 18, 1966, Raleigh
NCSNA Workshops for District Officers, February 11, 1966, Durham; February 16, 1966, Statesville; February 23, 1966, Greenville
Conference on Medicare, sponsored by Medical Society of North Carolina, February 18-19, 1966, Raleigh
Conference on Home Care Services of Medicare, sponsored by State Board of Health, February 24, March 24, and June 30, 1966, Raleigh
Conference on Medicare, sponsored by NCSNA, N. C. Chapter, National Association of Social Workers, N. C. Association of Physical Therapists, and UNC School of Public Health, March 11, 1966, Chapel Hill
Coordinating Council of NCSNA and NCLN, Annual Meeting, March 16, 1966, Durham
North Carolina League for Nursing, Annual Meeting, March 16-18, 1966, Durham
Symposium on Cancer Nursing, March 23, 1966, Angus Barn, Raleigh
Conference on Emergency Handling of Drugs in Nursing Homes, sponsored by Medical Society of State of North Carolina, March 31, 1966, Raleigh
NCSNA Joint Section Conference on Medicare and Clinical Sessions, April 19-20, 1966, Durham

Conference for Social Service, Annual Meeting, April 25-26, 1966, Raleigh
NCSNA Workshop on Proposed Changes in ANA Functions, May 3, 1966, Durham
Meeting of Representatives of Statewide Committees on Nursing Education, May 12, 1966, Burlington
Committee on Education for Nursing in North Carolina, May 13, 1966, and August 12, 1966, Raleigh
Health Occupations Education Teachers, Annual Meeting, May 31, 1966, Durham
North Carolina Hospital Association, Annual Meeting, June 22-25, 1966, Wrightsville Beach
Legislative Research Commission, Subcommittee Hearings, June 28, 1966, Raleigh; Commission Hearings, August 12, 1966
Conference on Title XIX, Social Security Amendments of 1965, sponsored by State Board of Public Welfare, July 7, 1966, Raleigh
Conference of Representatives of NCSNA, Medical Society of the State of North Carolina, North Carolina Hospital Association on State Support for Nursing Education, July 21 and September 15, 1966, Raleigh
District Conference on Medicare, sponsored by Medical Society of State of North Carolina, August 18, 1966, Durham
NCSNA Workshop on Membership Promotion, September 9, 1966, Burlington
State Legislative Council Workshop on Legislation, September 21, 1966, Raleigh
Services to the Aging Institute, sponsored by N. C. Board of Public Welfare, January 12-14, 1966, Raleigh

Committees of NCSNA

Committee on Finance, October 1, 1965, and September 23, 1966, Raleigh
Committee on Bylaws and Study of ANA Functions, October 18, 1965, Raleigh, April 20, 1966, Durham
EACT and NSA Section Executive Committee, Joint Meeting on Curriculum for Refresher Courses, November 30, 1965, Raleigh
Joint Section Executive Committee Meeting, December 1, 1965, Raleigh
Ad Hoc Committee To Make Long Range Plans for NCSNA, February 9, 1966, Raleigh
Committee on Legislation, March 1, 1966, Raleigh
Committee on Registries, March 4, 1966, Raleigh
Committee on Nursing in National Defense, March 22, 1966, Raleigh
Committee on Membership, March 30, 1966, Raleigh and September 9, 1966, Burlington
Committee on Nominations, May 24, 1966, Raleigh
Committee on Convention Program, May 25, 1966, Raleigh
Committee on Allied Nursing Personnel, April 29, June 30 and September 14, 1966, Raleigh
Special Committee on NCSNA Biennial Conventions, July 27, 1966, Chapel Hill
Committee on Professional Nursing Practice, July 14, 1966 and Joint Meeting with Physicians Committee of Medical Society of the State of North Carolina, July 28, 1966, Raleigh
Committee on NCSNA Convention Arrangements, August 16, 1966, Winston-Salem
Committee on Nursing Care of Chronically Ill and Aged, April 28 and September 7, 1966, Raleigh

Committee on Economic and General Welfare, September 28, 1966, Raleigh
Educational Administrators, Consultants, and Teachers Section:
Executive Committee, December 1, 1965, Raleigh
Program Committee, April 19, 1966, Durham
Committee on Nominations, July 15, 1966, Raleigh
General Duty Section:
Executive Committee, December 1, 1965, Raleigh
Program Committee, May 2, 1966, Durham
Committee on Nominations, July 15, 1966, Raleigh
Head Nurses Section:
Executive Committee, December 1, 1965, Raleigh
Committee on Nominations, July 6, 1966, Raleigh
Nursing Service Administrators Section:
Executive Committee, December 1, 1965, Raleigh
Committee on Nominations, May 17, 1966, Raleigh
Occupational Health Nurses Section:
Executive Committee, December 1, 1965, Raleigh
Committee on Nominations, July 6, 1966, Raleigh
Office Nurses Section:
Executive Committee, December 1, 1965, Raleigh
Committee on Nominations, June 30, 1966, Raleigh
Private Duty Nurses Section:
Executive Committee, December 1, 1965, Raleigh
Committee on Nominations, May 10, 1966, Raleigh
Public Health Nurses Section:
Executive Committee, December 1, 1965, Raleigh
Committee on Nominations, June 24, 1966, Raleigh
Operating Room Nurses Conference Group:
Executive Committee, December 1, 1965, Raleigh
Nominating Committee, May 4, 1966, Raleigh

Miscellaneous

Participated in staffing Nursing Booth at Health Careers Conference, sponsored by Raleigh Jaycees, March 29, Raleigh
Seminar on Economic Security for Senior Students, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill School of Nursing, April 12, 1966, Chapel Hill
Meeting with nurses of Randolph County on organization procedures for new district, April 13, 1966, Asheboro
Raleigh City Council Hearing on future street improvements for Enterprise Street, August 15, 1966, Raleigh
Visit from Mrs. Grace S. Woodward, new ANA staff member, as part of her orientation to ANA program of work, May 23-26, 1966
Annual lecture series at Duke University School of Nursing: Dr. Eleanor Lambertsen, "Facing Nursing's Obligation for the Future," April 14, 1966, Durham
Conference on Hospital Personnel Administration, sponsored by Cumberland County Hospital Authority, January 20, 1966, Fayetteville
Headquarters served as source of information and advice for members, other nurses, allied organizations, official agencies, and the general public and processed many inquiries involving information and/or advice on matters concerning nurses and nursing.
Prepared and dispatched articles relating to nursing to newspapers and various periodicals, including releases on 1965 NCSNA convention, NCSNA committee projects, 1966 conferences and workshops

sponsored by NCSNA, awarding of 1966 Lee Parker Scholarship, and other matters related to NCSNA program of work

Prepared and distributed minutes, reports, and resource materials for numerous meetings of NCSNA Board of Directors, committees, and conferences

Dispatched informative material to members of Board of Directors, delegates to ANA convention, district and section officers, alumnae presidents, registrars, and chairmen of committees

Prepared and distributed material for new district officers, including Manual for District Officers

Distributed dues collection materials to districts for 1966 membership campaign, including posters and other promotional material

Maintained NCSNA membership records as accurately as possible according to districts and sections

Prepared and distributed forms for use of district associations and district sections in submitting suggestions for NCSNA and section officers and NCSNA section committees

Prepared and edited four issues of Tar Heel Nurse, official organ of NCSNA

Prepared and supervised publication of annual Convention Reports

Prepared 1965 printed convention and banquet programs

Made preparations for 1965 and 1966 conventions of NCSNA

Processed orders from members for ANA pins

Communicated with members of Congress concerning legislation of interest to nurses and furnished them materials and information related to such legislation

Made preparation for and administered all 1966 NCSNA workshops, conferences, and institutes--Joint Section Conference on Medicare and Spring Clinical Sessions, Workshop on Proposed Revisions in ANA Bylaws, Workshop on Membership Promotion, and three Institutes for District Officers

Prepared reports and completed questionnaires for ANA on NCSNA section and committee work

Supervised maintenance of NCSNA Headquarter's Office at 2301 Clark Avenue and maintenance and rental of adjacent building owned by NCSNA at 2303 Clark Avenue

Dispatched notice of election to all 1966 NCSNA officers and section officers and notice of appointment to NCSNA committees, and outlined duties and functions for each

Through Economic Security Program, advised with and assisted nurses in their efforts to improve their working conditions

Distributed Guide for Developing Refresher Course for Inactive Nurses to all hospitals of state

Surveyed and published schedule of fees of district nurses' associations for private duty nursing

PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING AND PLACEMENT SERVICE
of the
NORTH CAROLINA STATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION
October 1, 1965 - September 30, 1966
Helen E. Peeler, R. N., Counselor

PC&PS Application Forms distributed - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	331
PC&PS Application Forms received - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	112

Total number of records reopened		158
Total number of original applications filed with NCSNA PC&PS since the beginning of program		5,326
Total number of biographies submitted to employers		118
Total number of biographies submitted to professional registries		87
Total number of biographies submitted to other PC&PS offices		2
Total number of other biographies submitted		12
Total number of registrants accepting positions with assistance from PC&PS		75
In North Carolina	59	
In other states	16	
Total number of interviews and conferences		796
Professional nurses	419	
Student nurses	47	
Practical nurses	11	
Prospective student nurses	12	
Employers of nurses	118	
Other interviews and conferences	250	
Job Description Forms distributed		72
Job Description Forms received		72
Notices of positions referred to registrants		43
Total number of positions in North Carolina filled		51
By registrants from NCSNA PC&PS	48	
By registrants from other PC&PS	3	
Letters and cards written		5,263
Packages dispatched		310
PC&PS Records Transferred		12
To NCSNA PC&PS	8	
To ANA and other SNA's PC&PS	4	

Field Work Done By Counselor

Eighteen scheduled counseling days in districts--one and one-half in District One, one in District Two, two in District Three, two in District Five, two in District Eight, one and one-half in District Nine, one in District Ten, one-half in District Eleven, one in District Eighteen, two in District Twenty-One, one in District Twenty-Three. Visited hospitals and health departments and discussed PC&PS, membership, other programs and activities of NCSNA. Conferred with nurses regarding employment, compilation of biographies, continued education, improved professional practice and trends in nursing. Conferred with employers of nurses regarding job descriptions, working conditions, applicants for positions and their performance evaluation. Spoke to two hospital nursing staffs.

Attended the following district meetings: District One, District Twelve, and District Thirteen. Discussed "Study of ANA Functions" with members of District One; and assisted with the Report of ANA Convention at the meeting of District Twelve and Thirteen.

Talked with five classes of senior students on PC&PS and other ANA and NCSNA programs, ANA membership, professional nursing, and continued education; and to one student body on "Functions of Student Government."

Staff Development

Attended the short-term course on Executive Development for Voluntary

Health Agency Administrators, Continuing Education Center, School of Public Health, UNC, Chapel Hill, November 1-5, 1965.

Meetings Attended:

National

Annual Meeting of NSA, San Francisco, June 10-12, 1966
Biennial Convention of ANA, San Francisco, June 13-17, 1966
Meeting of Counselors, Executive Secretaries, and other SNA representatives to discuss changes in ANA PC&PS; and Forum on ANA Functions, San Francisco, June 12, 1966

Regional

Carolinas - Virginias Hospital Conference in Roanoke, Virginia, April 14-15, 1966

State

Board of Directors, NCSNA, Durham, October 26 and 29, 1965, and March 16, 1966
Annual Meeting, NCSNA Advisory Council, Durham, October 26, 1965
Annual Convention, NCSNA, Durham, October 27-29, 1965
North Carolina Rural Health Conferences, Raleigh, October 9, 1965 and September 15, 1966
North Carolina Board of Nursing Conference on Interpretation of Nurse Practice Act, Wilson, November 18, 1965
Joint Meeting of NCSNA Section Executive Committees, Raleigh, December 1, 1965
Annual Meeting of the North Carolina Health Council, Durham, December 7, 1965
North Carolina Committee on Patient Care, Durham, January 14, 1966
NCSNA Institutes for District Officers--Durham, February 11; Statesville, February 16; Greenville, February 23, 1966
Annual Meeting of North Carolina Health Careers Congress, Raleigh, February 4 and 5, 1966
Annual Meeting of the Coordinating Council of NCSNA and NCLN, Durham, March 16, 1966
NCSNA Section Joint Workshop on Medicare and clinical sessions, Durham, April 19 and 20, 1966
NCSNA Workshop on ANA Functions for Delegates to ANA Convention, May 3, 1966
NCSNA Special Committee on Biennial Convention Meeting with district representatives, Chapel Hill, July 27, 1966
NCSNA Workshop on Membership Promotion, Burlington, September 9, 1966
North Carolina Legislative Council Workshop, Raleigh, September 21, 1966

Committees of NCSNA

Committee on Bylaws and Functions, Raleigh, October 18, 1965, and Durham, April 20, 1966
Committee on Legislation, Raleigh, March 1, 1966
Committee on Nurses' Professional Registries, Raleigh, March 4, 1966
Committee on Nursing in National Defense, Raleigh, March 22, 1966
Committee on Membership Promotion, Raleigh, March 30 and September 9, 1966
Committee on Nursing Care of the Chronically Ill and Aged, Raleigh, April 28 and September 7, 1966

Committee on Allied Nursing Personnel, Raleigh, April 29, June 30, and September 14, 1966
Committee on Nominations, Raleigh, May 24, 1966
Committee on Convention Program, Raleigh, May 25, 1966
Committee on Professional Nursing Practice, Raleigh, July 14 and July 28, 1966
Committee on Finance, September 23, 1966
Committee on Economic and General Welfare, Raleigh, September 28, 1966
NCSNA Section Committees, Raleigh - Joint Meeting of EACT and NSA Executive Committees, November 30, 1965

Miscellaneous

Thirty-SevenR.N.'s joined NCSNA to use PC&PS
Dispatched PC&PS materials to nurses, student nurses, employers of nurses and district PC&PS committees
Prepared summaries of PC&PS job descriptions and other PC&PS material for the Tar Heel Nurse
Informed nurses and employers of nurses about the policy of restricting the use of PC&PS to ANA members and to new graduates. Wrote 93 letters regarding the membership policy and dispatched 193 copies of the policy to nurses and employers of nurses
One hundred and fifty-five of the counseling interviews held were follow-up interviews--115 with R.N.'s and 40 with employers of nurses
Assisted with the preparation and compilation of the Book of Annual Reports for the NCSNA Convention
Attended a meeting of the Advisory Council of the Licensed Practical Nurse Association, Durham, November 10, 1965
Attended a meeting of the Health Council Recruitment Committee, Durham, December 7, 1965
Attended the "Swearing In" Ceremony for Dr. Jacob Koomen, Acting Health Director of the North Carolina State Board of Health, January 4, 1966
Attended a meeting of the Ad Hoc Committee of the Medical Society on Diploma Schools of Nursing, Burlington, January 4, 1966
Attended a conference on Hospital Personnel Administration at Cape Fear Valley Hospital, Fayetteville, January 20, 1966
Attended annual meeting of the Wake County Chapter of the American Red Cross, Raleigh, February 2, 1966
Served as consultant for students interested in nursing at the Annual Health Careers Conference, Raleigh, February 5, 1966
Met with the PC&PS Committee of District Thirteen, Raleigh; District One, Asheville; and conferred with chairman of several other district PC&PS committees
Attended a meeting sponsored by NCSNA, National Association of Social Workers, and the Physical Therapy Association on "Implications of Medicare on Professional Practice," Chapel Hill, March 11, 1966
Conferred with the Registry Committee of the Salisbury Nurses' Professional Registry, the hospital administrator and director of nursing re registry problems, Salisbury, March 21, 1966
Attended a Conference on "Cancer Nursing"sponsored by District Eleven, and NCSNA, Raleigh, March 22, 1966
Prepared material for nursing Booth, planned staffing for booth and served as a consultant for nursing part of time for a Health Careers Conference sponsored by Raleigh Jaycees, Raleigh, March 28-30, 1966

Spoke to members of a Health Careers Club on opportunities offered by the various health professions, Raleigh, May 5, 1966
Met with the Registry Committee of the Asheville Nurses' Professional Registry, May 11, 1966
Attended a lecture on new Developments in Psychiatric Nursing at Charlotte Memorial Hospital, Charlotte, May 16, 1966
Attended a meeting of the Advisory Council on Rural Health of the Medical Society of North Carolina, Raleigh, December 19, 1965 and May 20, 1966
Assisted with orientation for Mrs. Sylvia Woodward, ANA staff member, May 23-25, 1966
Attended a Reception for Dr. Eloise Lewis, Dean, School of Nursing, UNC-G, Chapel Hill, May 26, 1966
Conferred with new registrar and chairman of Registry Committee, District Eleven to review policies and procedures relative to registry use of PC&PS applications, Durham, June 1, 1966
Attended Welfare Conference on Title XIX, Raleigh, July 7, 1966
Attended a Joint Meeting of Physicians Committee on Nursing and NCSNA Committee on Professional Practice, Raleigh, July 28, 1966
Attended a "cook out" in honor of Miss Beatrice Ritter and head nurses and supervisors of High Point Memorial Hospital, Durham, July 23, 1966
Gave the Graduation address for graduates of school of nursing, Rowan Memorial Hospital, Salisbury, August 2, 1966
Attended a meeting of Joint Committee to Improve the Health Care of the Chronically Ill and Aging of Medical Society; a planning session for N. C. Conference for the Implementation of Medicare and Related Services to be held in Pinehurst in January

SNANC Meetings Attended by Counselor

Annual Convention, Durham, October 29-30, 1965 and March 18-19, 1966
Executive Board--Durham, October 29; Raleigh, November 19, 1965; Durham, March 18; Raleigh, April 22; Concord, September 28, 1966
Committees--Program, December 9, 1965 and July 8, 1966; Recruitment, December 9, 1965; Public Relations, December 13, 1965 and July 8, 1966; Student Nurse of the Year, December 29, 1965; Nominations, February 21, 1966; Finance, March 10, 1966
Annual Workshop, Concord, September 29, 1966

TREASURER

Mrs. Eva W. Warren, Greenville

Treasurer's Report - January 1, 1966 through September 30, 1966

Income:		
Total from Membership dues	$114,709.50	
Forwarded to ANA	44,002.00	
Available from dues for Operating Expenses		$ 70,707.50
Other Income Available for Operating Expenses		11,713.38
In Checking Account, January 1, 1966		21,778.47
Total Available for Operating Expenses		104,199.35

Disbursements:			
Administration		$ 19,984.64	
Convention Expenses			
Organizational Dues		155.00	
Salaries		21,901.13	
Section Expenses		3,234.60	
Special Services		450.00	
Tar Heel Nurse		10,437.39	
Travel			
Officers and Committees	$3,848.14		
Headquarter's Staff	2,025.00	5,873.14	
Miscellaneous		1,214.61	
Total Disbursements			63,250.51
Checking Account, September 30, 1966			$ 40,948.84

(Checking account, N. C. National Bank of Durham)

NORTH CAROLINA COMMITTEE ON PATIENT CARE

Martha Adams, Winston-Salem, NCSNA Representative

This has been an outstanding year for the North Carolina Committee on Nursing and Patient Care. Its members continue to implement its central objective "to promote improvement of patient care to the people of North Carolina" through programs which are of research value, good news-media reporting, and a sharing of interests toward situations that contribute to improved patient care.

Four excellent programs have been or will have been presented in 1966. On each were "specialists" in the fields of Health Care or other areas of interest where the health of North Carolina people is of some concern. The following will be of interest to our nurses:

January 14, 1966--Knowing the necessity for hospitals having a good Public Relations program the Sub-Committee on Public Relations presented a program which defined some problem in hospital public relations and attempted to identify a good basic formula for the hospitals to use. Participants were Mr. Eugene Price, Managing Editor of the Goldsboro News-Argus; Mr. Holt McPherson, Hospital Trustee and Editor of High Point Enterprise; Mr. Joseph Barnes, Administrator, Rex Hospital; and Dr. Frank W. Jones, President, North Carolina Medical Society. All of these speakers are well known to North Carolina people.

April 2, 1966--Dr. Eloise Lewis, Chairman of the Sub-Committee on Nursing, presented a panel of nurses who had, through their own research identified some of the reasons for the "shortage" of nurses and the problems in recruiting nurses for employment and admission to schools of nursing. Sharing information of interests in the subject "Nurses Lost" were: Elizabeth Holley, Chief of Nursing Section, North Carolina State Board of Health; Hilda Burnham, Director of Nursing Service, Johnson Memorial Hospital, Smithfield; Mrs. Pat Conklin, President, North Carolina League for Nursing and Member of Faculty, North Carolina College, Durham; Mrs. Ruth Peters, President, North Carolina State Nurses' Association; and Louise Egan, Educational Consultants, Vocational-Technical Division, North Carolina Department of Community

Colleges, Raleigh.

July 22, 1966--The Committee has been interested for some time in the emergency care of patients and has explored ways of improving the care to those who are injured on our highway systems. John Lockhart, new chairman of the Sub-Committee in Public Relations and a panel made up of Dr. John Morris, General Surgeon of North Carolina Industrial Commission; Mr. Phillip Redwine, Department of Motor Vehicles, North Carolina; and Mr. William Hilliard, Director of Public Relations, Medical Society of North Carolina discussed "the Need for Emergency Medical Identification Data." There is no legal statutes requiring carrying information on the person, but it is a recognized need since 20 per cent and 40 per cent of the population have a medical problem for which they should carry medical identification data.

October 14, 1966--The Sub-Committee on Nursing, having learned of concern for the fragmentation of health information, will present a program which will explore some of the problems in this area of interest and will attempt to show how a Centralized Community Health Information Service can assist the people.

In addition to presenting interesting programs, other Committee accomplishments were:

1. Purchasing a second copy of the film, "Mrs. Reynolds Needs a Nurse," and promoting the use of this film for recruitment programs.

2. Distributing widely the brochure, "The North Carolina Committee on Nursing and Patient Care." This publication describes the composition and activities of this "represented" Committee.

3. Members participated in various programs of the parent organizations

4. Supported a study on "Visiting in Hospitals" with the idea of trying to arrive at some way of making visiting better for the patient. A $9,700.00 grant from United Medical Research Foundation has been provided for a year of Study of Visiting in Hospitals in two counties of North Carolina, a rural area and a largely populated area. Forsyth and Beaufort Counties were the chosen areas.

5. Adopted a resolution on "The Importance of Emergency Medical Identification."

6. Changed the name of the Committee from "The North Carolina Committee on Nursing and Patient Care" to the "North Carolina Committee on Patient Care."

7. Held three meetings at Quail Roost Conference Center, Rougemont, North Carolina, since the accommodations are good and more centrally located to all members at present.

As representative of the North Carolina State Nurses' Association let me thank you again for making it possible for me to participate and enjoy the activities of this very active committee. I sincerely hope I have represented you well.

NORTH CAROLINA COUNCIL OF WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS
and COUNCIL ON WORLD AFFAIRS
Mrs. Mary R. Snyder, Chapel Hill, NCSNA Representative

The North Carolina Council on World Affairs was organized to promote and create interest and study in world affairs in North Carolina; to encourage active participation in an Annual World affairs Conference; to work cooperatively in promoting world peace through organized effort; and to provide training for leaders in similar programs in their local communities.

The 16th Annual Conference was held on March 10, 1966, at the Chapel Hill campus of the University of North Carolina. The three major speakers were Arthur S. Lall, Professor of International Relations, Columbia University; W. Allyn Rickett, Professor of Chinese Studies, University of Pennsylvania; and S. Shepard Jones, Burton Craige Professor of Political Science, UNC at Chapel Hill. Eight discussion groups were held as follows:

The United Nations and Asia
- Resource Person--George Moffitt, U. S. Department of State
- Discussion Leader--Dr. Robert Seymour, Minister Binkley Memorial Baptist Church

The Cold War and the Divided Asian Nations
- Resource Person--Bill Jeffries, Peace Education Director, American Friends Service Committee
- Discussion Leader--Norman F. Gustaveson, Secretary, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, YMCA

U. S. Foreign Aid in Asia
- Resource Person--Richard L. Hough, U. S. Department of State
- Discussion Leader--Mrs. David Bradley, President of League of Women Voters, Durham, N. C.

The Sino-Soviet Conflict
- Resource Person--Dr. Creighton Lacy, Associate Professor of World Christianity, Duke University
- Discussion Leader--Mrs. John R. Taylor, Director of Women in Community Service, Greensboro, N. C.

The Problems and Prospects of India
- Resource Person--Sagar C. Jain, Assistant Professor of Personnel, UNC at Chapel Hill
- Discussion Leader--Dwight C. Rhyne, Associate Director of Extension UNC at Chapel Hill

Race and U. S. Foreign Relations
- Resource Person--Guy B. Johnson, Kenan Professor of Sociology and Anthropology, UNC at Chapel Hill
- Discussion Leader--William Couch, Jr.--Graduate Professor of English, North Carolina College

United States Policy in Vietnam
- Resource Person--Stephen Carey, Associate Secretary National Office of American Friends Service Committee
- Discussion Leader--Rev. Ralph Fleming

The Indonesian-MalayianConflict
- Resource Person--Burton Beers, Professor of History, N. C. State University at Raleigh
- Discussion Leader--Henry Elkins, North Carolina College

Attendance at the conference was the largest in recent years--more than 1,000.

The Council has entered into a new relationship with the Bureau of Community Adult Education in which that Bureau will act as a secretariat for the Council. It is expected that with this added service of the Extension Division of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, the Council will be able to expand its program of world affairs education beyond the annual conference.

The new officers of the Council are as follows:

President--Dr. Robert Seymour, Box 108, Chapel Hill
Second Vice-President--Mr. William Jeffries, 1818 South Main Street, High Point
Secretary--Mrs. J. Z. Watkins, 2124 Beverly Drive, Charlotte
Treasurer--Mrs. John Crawford, 719 Beaver Road, Raleigh
Committee Chairmen:
Publicity--Dr. Eloise Cofer, 1507 Caswell Street, Raleigh
Youth--Mrs. J. Earle Barringer, 1415 6th Street Circle, N.W., Hickory
Finance--Mrs. B. B. Everett, Palmyra

NORTH CAROLINA MEDICAL CARE COMMISSION

Mrs. Margaret B. Dolan, Chapel Hill, NCSNA Representative

The Commission held its regular quarterly meeting on the following dates: September 17, 1965; December 17, 1965; March 18, 1966; June 17, 1966; and September 16, 1966.

This year marks the twentieth anniversary of the Hill-Burton Act. Since the enactment of that legislation providing federal assistance in the construction of hospitals and other health facilities, North Carolina has constructed more hospital projects than any other state in the nation. We are third in the number of public health units constructed.

North Carolina now has under construction or in the planning stage medical projects approaching $90,000,000.

During the 20 years since passage of the Hill-Burton Act and the establishment of the Medical Care Commission, North Carolina has constructed 267 hospital projects, 28 long-term care projects, and 124 other types of projects, making a total of 419. The total cost of these projects was $280,000,000, of which 41.7 per cent was Federal funds, 7.1 per cent state funds, and 51.2 per cent local funds.

In view of the fact that the Commission is in the midst of its largest building program in 20

years, the rising cost of construction is a matter of deep concern. Costs increased in the period 1959 - 1965 by 54.5 per cent per bed. Of equal concern to the Commission is the limited availability of qualified personnel to staff these facilities. The Commission is giving much attention to how to deal with these problems and is giving primary emphasis to its scholarship program in health careers.

The Medical Care Commission is including in its budget requests to the 1967 General Assembly an appropriation of $600,000 for the 1967-69 biennium for its student loan-scholarship program. (Loans are made to students in health related professions and are cancelled by practice in areas of critical need, thus becoming scholarships.) The NCSNA Board of Directors has voted to support this request for $600,000 for the student loan program. Since the loan program was liberalized in 1965, all the funds available for this purpose have been encumbered. Until 1965 nurses did not apply for these loans in great numbers, but since the beginning of 1965 more laons have been made to nurses than to any other group.

Emphasizing the great need for an adequate appropriation for this program for the next biennium is the fact that since July 1, 1966, a total of 60 applications from nurses have been approved. Ten of these are for associate degree programs, 20 for diploma programs, and 30 for baccalaureate programs. Of all loans approved since July 1, 1966, 53.5 per cent were awarded to nursing students.

Since 1945, there have been 158 applications from nurses approved--12 in associate degree programs, 63 in diploma programs, and 83 in baccalaureate programs. As the above figures will indicate, the trend in applications from nurses is from diploma to baccalaureate students.

The Medical Care Commission sees continuation of this loan-scholarship program as one way of increasing the availability of qualified personnel to staff the rapidly expanding hospitals and other health facilities.

NORTH CAROLINA MENTAL HEALTH COUNCIL

Martha Clyde Davis, Chapel Hill, NCSNA and NCLN Representative

The North Carolina Mental Health Council met on the following dates: December 10, 1965; February 18, 1966; and May 20, 1966. Chief topics of ongoing interest and responsibility were the Mental Retardation Planning Project and the implementation of the State Mental Health Plan. At each meeting, a progress report was given by a member of the Mental Retardation Planning Staff, and an informative program was presented by representatives of a member agency or invited organization on some aspect of mental health being promoted in the State.

At the December meeting members of the Maternal and Child Health Section of the State Health Department described services to retarded children offered by the State Board of Health. Members were told that there are twenty-four pediatric supervisory clinics and eleven specialized developmental evaluation clinics now operating throughout the State. The State laboratory which tests for phenylketonuria now makes this service available for every infant born in North Carolina.

The program of the North Carolina Council of Family Service Agencies was presented at the February meeting. Other business included an announcement of the extension of time and an additional grant of $104,000 to the Mental Retardation Planning Project for the completion of its Comprehensive Planning Report.

The need for a central manpower agency to help the various State agencies recruit people in the mental health field was discussed; also, the need to establish a training program for subprofessionals. It was suggested that the Governor might be able to use on his staff a consultant on human resources.

Concern was expressed regarding the establishment of two much needed additional facilities for the rehabilitation of alcoholics--one in the eastern and one in the western sections of the State. The chairman of the Council was authorized to communicate with the Governor or his representative regarding this matter.

At the May meeting, representatives of the Association of Mental Health Clinics of North Carolina presented a history of the mental health clinics and their present functioning. Other business included an announcement that on March 18, the North Carolina Comprehensive Mental Health Plan was accepted by Health, Education, and Welfare; also, that the Comprehensive Mental Retardation Plan was ready for the printer.

Attention was called to the projected opening in September of the Center for the Blind Retarded at Murdoch.

Council members were encouraged to attend the workshop at Pisgah View Ranch sponsored by the North Carolina Mental Health Inservice Education Steering Committee, June 8-14.

Announcement was made of the advanced training program in Community Mental Health sponsored by the Department of Psychiatry and the School of Public Health at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

A "Decade of Progress" in the Correctional Schools was reviewed, and plans were described for the new school at Butner for hyperactive aggressive delinquents to open early in 1967.

The State Director of Prisons reported briefly on plans of the Commission to study and recommend legislation on certain criminal laws relating to public morality.

Other business this past year included the election and installation of new council officers last December. Dr. Charles Llewellyn, Jr. from the Department of Psychiatry at Duke was elected as chairman of the Mental Health Council for the next two years; Dr. Jacob Koomen from the State Board of Health, vice chairman; Dr. Dorothy Park Griffin was retained as secretary.

During the year four new member organizations were voted into the Council: The North Carolina Recreation Commission, Alcoholism Programs in North Carolina, the North Carolina Council of Child Psychiatrists, and the Medical Care Commission.

During this past year, this writer served on the Policy Committee and Nominating Committee of the Mental Health Council. As your representative, this writer was asked to serve as a contact person in this State who would study and react to the "Statement on Psychiatric Nursing" prepared by the ANA Conference Group on Psychiatric Nursing Practice. This responsibility was assumed. A reaction to the "Statement" was sent to ANA Headquarters; a resume of the Statement was published in the September Tar Heel Nurse.

The past year with the Mental Health Council was an interesting one.

NURSING HOME ADVISORY COUNCIL TO THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

Ethel Harrison, Chapel Hill, NCSNA Representative

D. A. McLaurin, M.D. is chairman of this Council. Other members of this Council are: Mrs. Edith Chance, North Carolina Association of Nursing Homes; Jere Roe, D.D.S, North Carolina Dental Society; Mr. Rhett Ball, representing the community and consumers of the Services offered; Mr. W. H. Randall, North Carolina Pharmaceutical Association; Mrs. Marguerite Dunham, North Carolina Association of Nursing Homes; Mr. Lloyd Gilbert, North Carolina Hospital Association; Mr. Carl Rowland, representing foundations and endowments; Mr. Willard Farrow, church and fraternal homes which are also combination nursing homes and homes for the aged and infirm; and Ethel Harrison, North Carolina State Nurses' Association.

The primary powers and duties of the Nursing Home Advisory Council are as follows:

1. To consult and advise with the Nursing Home Section of the State Board of Health on matters or policy affecting the administration of the nursing home program and in the development of rules, regulations, and standards provided under the law

2. To hear, consider, and make recommendations concerning appeals by the purveyors of these services under this program pursuant to regulations adopted by the State Board of Health

Among its actions this year, the Nursing Home Advisory Council:

1. Approved, with changes, the revised Rules and Regulations for Combination Homes and recommended their channeling through the North Carolina Department of Public Welfare and the North Carolina State Board of Health for Adoption

2. Sought the assistance of a special committee representing the Medical Society of the State of North Carolina, the North Carolina State Nurses' Association, the North Carolina Board of Pharmacy, the North Carolina Pharmaceutical Society, and the North Carolina State Board of Health in providing a means of supplying drugs for emergency use in Nursing Homes. The present law governing the licensure of Nursing Homes explicitly states that all drugs for patients in these homes shall be procured and administered on a prescription basis. The recommendations of this special committee regarding the definition of emergency drugs, acquisition and storage of these drugs in nursing homes, and records of use were accepted by the Nursing Home Advisory Council, which voted to refer these regulations to the State Board of Health for action.

3. Offered its support to the North Carolina State Nurses' Association and commended it for the efforts made to determine staffing needed to provide quality nursing care in Nursing Homes and to provide refresher courses for inactive nurses with a view to recruit these individuals for services in Nursing Homes

4. Recommended that a section be added to the present Rules and Regulations for Licensing Nursing Homes to provide for "Reportable Accidents"--these to be defined by a sub-committee of the council

5. Continued to discuss and recommend action to the North Carolina State Health Department in those instances of nursing homes not complying with regulations for licensure

JOINT COMMITTEE FOR THE HEALTH CARE OF THE CHRONICALLY ILL AND AGING

Mrs. Mary R. Snyder, Chapel Hill, NCSNA Representative

With the impending implementation of the Social Security Amendment, popularly called "Medicare," concerns are continuing to be expressed over the shortage of registered nurses. A registered professional nurse should be responsible for nursing activities in health agencies, a requirement for certification by the government.

Despite repeated requests that inactive nurses return to active status whenever their personal situation permits, response has been practically nil. The

basic reason is economics. Many inactive registered nurses have stated that it would cost them to return to work as nurses because present salaries are too low to justify expenses incurred in returning to the profession. These expenses may cover current licensure, uniforms, maid or nursery service where there are children, transportation, and so on. Opportunities for employment in other areas offer higher salaries and more regular hours. Competition for the services of available nurses is increasing from numerous areas in employment.

Refresher courses, planned to meet the specific needs of each class group, are offered at a basic cost of $2.00 for registration to nurse groups of eight or more. There are 43 community colleges or technical institutes scattered throughout North Carolina through which refresher courses may be requested. To date, only a few such courses have been held, including one at Forsyth Technical Institute in Winston-Salem, and two at W. W. Holding Technical Institute in Raleigh.

Although all members present were more or less aware of reasons why inactive nurses were no longer active (several of the men discussed briefly why their nurse wives are not employed), the impact of basic economic aspects versus dedication to a profession brought forth many statements from individuals that salaries must be raised and each would support the suggestion through his agency and personally where feasible.

As NCSNA representative, I attended the meeting of representatives of several state-wide health organizations on Sunday, June 12, 1966, in Raleigh. Dr. Thomas R. Nichols is chairman of the Committee which is sponsored by the Medical Society of North Carolina.

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION FOR NURSING IN NORTH CAROLINA OF NCSNA AND NCLN
Mrs. Eva W. Warren, Chairman, Greenville

The Special Committee on Education for Nursing in North Carolina was formed in May, 1964, following the endorsement of the "Guidelines for Nursing Education" by the NCSNA membership in October, 1964, and by the NCLN in the spring of the same year. This Committee was recommended in Guideline #10.

The present members of the Committee and dates of termination of appointment are:

NCSNA	NCLN
Mrs. Eva Warren, May, 1967	Mrs. Patricia Conklin, May, 1968
Dr. Eloise R. Lewis, May, 1966	Ruth Dalrymple, May, 1970
Mrs. Naomi Wynn, EACT Chairman	Dr. Faustena Blaisdell, May, 1969
Mrs. Ruth F. Peters, NCSNA President	Mrs. Mary Jane Burch, May, 1967
Bettie Baise, May, 1966	Carrie Spurgeon, May, 1967
Eugene Smith, May, 1967	

N.C. Board of Education	N.C. Board of Higher Education
Dr. Kenneth Oleson	Dr. John F. Corey

This Committee has held three meetings during the past year - February 11, 1966; May 13, 1966; and August 12, 1966.

Miss Janet Campbell submitted her resignation from the chairmanship and from the Committee effective February 11, 1966. Miss Campbell had accomplished much in a relatively short period of time, and her resignation was accepted with regrets. Dr. Eloise Lewis accepted the chairmanship to complete the unexpired term. At the May 13, 1966, meeting Mrs. Warren was elected chairman.

The members of the Committee did some "soul searching" as to whether this Committee had fulfilled it original purposes and whether or not it should ask to be dissolved. With eight committees in North Carolina concerned with nursing education, was there a need for a special committee to represent the profession of nursing? The members were in agreement that the Committee could continue to serve a useful purpose as it worked to coordinate the activities of the two nursing organizations in the area of nursing education. In view of this, "Rules of Procedure" for the Committee were reviewed, revised, and adopted.

Progress has continued during the year in the implementation of the "Guidelines." Two committees of the NCLN have worked on Guidelines 2, 4, and 5. Most NCSNA Districts have held information meetings on the "Guidelines." The Committee has reviewed the ANA Position Paper. Janet Campbell's interpretation of "North Carolina's Guidelines for Nursing Education" was published in the July, 1966, Nursing Outlook.

On May 12, 1966, at the Holiday Inn in Burlington, representatives of this Committee met with representatives of the eight committees in North Carolina involved in nursing education. The purpose of this meeting was to explore the purposes and functions of each committee to see if there was

overlapping and if all should continue to exist. Written reports were given of the activities of each committee which are to be edited, duplicated, and sent to all schools of nursing.

The Committee and its members have been active in exploring the feasibility of supporting a legislative program to provide funds for nursing education.

Prior to its scheduled meeting on August 12, the Committee met with the Legislative Research Commission (Executive Committee of the General Assembly) at a hearing concerned with the request for State funds for nursing education programs in North Carolina. Some of the Committee members have worked with representatives of the Medical Society, Hospital Association, Board of Nursing, other representatives from the League of Nursing and the State Nurses' Association and with certain official state agencies to present to the General Assembly a request which can be supported by the groups involved.

The recommendation of the Committee to the Boards of the North Carolina League for Nursing and the North Carolina State Nurses' Association is to "Extend the focus of the Committee on Education for Nursing in North Carolina to include studying the preparation and services of health workers who have patient contact and who contribute to patient care."

COMMITTEE ON BYLAWS AND STUDY OF ANA FUNCTIONS
Mrs. Betty C. Eller, Greensboro, Chairman

Other members of the Committee are: Mrs. Rebekah J. Burriss, Carolina Beach, and Caroline Singletary, Winston-Salem.

Much of the work of the Committee was accomplished by mail. Headquarters staff reviewed the proposed revisions of District Bylaws to assure conformity with the ANA Model Form for Bylaws. Several districts submitted revised bylaws.

Committee members made a few talks during the year to district associations explaining the proposed changes in ANA structure.

On May 3, 1966, in Durham, a one-day workshop was conducted by the Committee to acquaint NCSNA delegates attending the ANA convention with details and the latest information regarding proposed changes.

COMMITTEE ON CONVENTION PROGRAM
Lelia R. Clark, Durham, Chairman

Members of Committee:

Lelia R. Clark, Chairman, Durham; Mrs. Naomi Wynn, Greensboro; Mrs. Evelyn M. Sparks, Asheville; Mrs. Mary C. Davison, Hillsborough; Mrs. Virginia G. Cartlidge, Charlotte; Ruby Dameron, Charlotte; Mrs. Juanita Clontz, Charlotte; Mrs. Cleo Osborne, Greensboro.

Planning Meeting:

The Committee on Convention Program met in Headquarters Office on Wednesday, May 25, 1966, with all members, or a substitute from the Section Program Committees present. Mrs. Grace Woodward, Field Service representative from the American Nurses' Association and Miss Jeanette Quinn and Mrs. Jeannette Alexander, Co-chairmen of the NCSNA Convention Arrangements Committee from the Host District, were welcome guests.

During the lively four-hour session the convention focus was developed, the program schedule formulated and topics with possible speakers selected. Since the dilemma in Nursing and the forthcoming "Position Paper," with all its far reaching implications for nursing, were uppermost in the thoughts of the membership present - the theme, "Nursing - Scrutiny, Reflection, Direction," gradually evolved from the discussion. It was felt that, as Emerson once said, "This time, like all times, is a good one if we but know what to do with it."

It is the hope of the Committee that the general program sessions and section meetings will provide the stimulation to provoke candid reflection and purposeful direction.

The Committee wishes to express its appreciation to the Headquarters Staff for the tremendous task of working out details of the program you have before you.

COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AND GENERAL WELFARE
Mrs. Mary K. Kneedler, Cullowhee, Chairman

Other members of the Committee are: Mrs. June B. Baise, Wilson; Mary Jo Dempsey, Wilmington; Elizabeth S. Holley, Raleigh; Eugene J. Smith, Charlotte; Mrs. Fonda Stephenson, Winston-Salem.

This Committee held one meeting during the year. At this meeting, held on September 28, 1966, the Committee reviewed informative material from the American Nurses' Association about the National Salary Goal in relation to SNA section minimum employment standards. The Committee discussed the impact of the National Salary Goal of $6,500 for the practitioner entering the profession in 1966

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(adopted by the ANA House of Delegates at biennial convention in San Francisco, June, 1966) and the effect on nurse salaries of the amendments to the Fair Labor Standards Act to bring hospitals under the Federal Minimum Wage Law.

The Committee studied material compiled by the staff showing the newly revised state salary scale for nurses employed in state-owned hospitals and listing general hospitals throughout the state reported in the various local newspapers as having recently granted substantial salary increases to nurses. Most of the general hospitals listed have established the beginning general duty salary at $400, with differentials ranging up to $100 for evening and night duty. Hospitals in which all nurses rotate shifts generally raised the starting salary to $450. Some announced differentials for the baccalaureate degree nurse. The Committee felt that a number of other hospitalsin the state have made substantial adjustments in nurses' salaries which have not been announced publicly and that many more hospitals will follow suit.

The Committee voted to recommend to the NCSNA Board of Directors that it adopt for presentation to the House of Delegates a resolution supporting the National Salary Goal. The Committee also voted to recommend to the Executive Committees of NCSNA Sections that they review current minimum employment standards, compare them with standards of other sections, and consider upgrading the minimum salaries at their pre-convention meetings, so that the recommendations of the Executive Committees can be acted upon by the sections at their annual business meetings. The staff was directed to prepare appropriate informative materials to be sent to the Section Executive Committees along with this recommendation.

In discussing legislative needs on the state level in relation to economic security, the committee agreed that it is unlikely that any change would be made in the "Right-To-Work Law" at this time and that it seems improbable that mandatory collective bargaining legislation could be passed. The Committee was informed that for the 1967 session of the General Assembly, NCSNA is concentrating on obtaining adequate state support for nursing education.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE
Mrs. Eva W. Warren, Greenville, Chairman

Other members of the Committee are: Mrs. Betty Batty, Charlotte; and Florence S. Schroeder, Fayetteville.

The Committee on Finance met with the President, Mrs. Ruth F. Peters, at Headquarter's Office in Raleigh on September 23, 1966. A review was made of the income and expenditures for 1965 and from January 1, 1966, to September 30, 1966. The expected needs of the North Carolina State Nurses' Association for 1967 were carefully weighed against the income. A proposed budget for 1967 was prepared for consideration by the Board. An increase in membership would provide for an expanded program of work for the Association.

The income, budget and expenditures of the Association for 1965 are as follows:

INCOME

Income from Membership Dues		$108,607.67
Dues Forwarded to ANA		42,538.00
Available from Dues for Operating Expenses		$ 66,069.67
Other Income Available for Operating Expenses:		
Annual Convention	$ 4,697.50	
Student Nurse Association	501.79	
Tar Heel Nurse Advertising, etc.	12,983.74	
Lee Parker Scholarship	150.00	
Rent, 2303 Clark Avenue	1,785.00	
Miscellaneous-ANA Pins and AJN Subscription Commissions, etc.	111.63	
Checking Account, January 1, 1965	16,199.90	
		36,429.56
Total Available for Operating Expenses, 1965		$102,499.23

ITEMS, BUDGET AND DISBURSEMENTS, 1965

Items	1965 Budget	1965 Disbursements
Administration		
Auditing Accounts	$ 275.00	$ 682.10
Bonding Treasurer	50.00	100.00
Raleigh Building & Loan	2,028.00	2,028.00
NCSNA Service Fund	1,200.00	1,200.00
Heat, Lights, and Water	600.00	563.99
Headquarters Maintenance	2,500.00	342.56
Repair Service to Equipment	250.00	227.11
Fire Insurance	135.00	130.37
Telephone & Telegraph	1,200.00	1,188.01
Postage, Express, Box Rent	1,300.00	1,422.30
Office Supplies	2,100.00	2,240.44
Pubs., Subs., Clip Service	250.00	192.83
Taxes - FICA	1,050.00	1,053.47
Workmen's Compensation	65.00	42.00

Items	1965 Budget		1965 Disbursements	
Unemployment Insurance	300.00		185.19	
ANA Retirement & Trust	1,800.00		1,661.74	
		$15,103.00		$13,260.11
Additions to Equipment	$ 150.00			
Typewriter			531.50	
Two Files			314.06	
		150.00		845.56
NCSNA Convention Expense		4,000.00		4,442.08
Organizational Dues				
NC Coun. of Women's Orgs.	15.00		15.00	
NC Health Council	15.00		15.00	
NC Family Life Council	10.00			
NC Conference for Social Service	25.00		25.00	
NC Hospital Association	15.00		15.00	
State Legislative Council	50.00		50.00	
		130.00		120.00
Salaries				
Professional	$23,760.00		$20,460.00	
Non-Professional	14,816.00		14,706.79	
		38,576.00		35,166.79
Sections and OR Conf. Group Expenses to ANA Conf. on Basis of $75 per Delegates	1,500.00			
Postage, telephone, etc. @ $20 per Section	160.00			
Expense of chairman or alternate for NCSNA annual convention @ $15 per day, not to exceed 3 days	405.00			
Appropriations for workshops, special projects, meetings of Executive Committee @ $100 per section	900.00			
Executive Committee meetings @ $120 per section	1,080.00			
Standing Committee meetings @ $100 per section	800.00			
		4,845.00		4,206.59

Detail Expenditures Per Section

	Budgeted	Used
EACT	$ 535.00	$ 547.40
GD	610.00	586.19
HN	535.00	329.54
NSA	610.00	500.21
OH	385.00	213.24
Office	460.00	342.06
PD	835.00	793.45
PH	535.00	578.13
OR Conference	340.00	316.37
Total	$ 4,845.00	$ 4,206.59

Special Services				
Legal Counsel	$ 600.00		$ 600.00	
Legislative Counsel	500.00			
Parliamentarian	75.00		54.35	
Honorarium for Treasurer	600.00		600.00	
Stenotypists	600.00		547.95	
		2,375.00		1,802.30
Tar Heel Nurse		7,400.00		14,344.57
Travel				
Officers and Com.Members	3,000.00		3,326.14	
Field Work--Headquarters	2,600.00		2,908.38	
		5,600.00		6,234.52
Miscellaneous				
Recruitment Folder	150.00			
Lee Parker Scholarship	150.00		150.00	
Health Careers Research Foundation	100.00		100.00	
R.N. List	150.00			
NC Committee on Nursing and Patient Care	25.00		25.00	
Refund of Membership Dues			32.00	
Other	583.50		221.03	
		1,158.50		528.03
TOTAL		$79,337.50		$80,900.55

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATION
Mrs. Margaret B. Dolan, Chapel Hill
and
Eugene J. Smith, Charlotte, Co-Chairmen

Other members of the Committee are: Myrtle J. Barnette, Winston-Salem; Jane Earp, Smithfield; Mrs. Daphne Jeffords, Wilmington; Mrs. A. Gertrude Newman, Bryson City; Mrs. Ida Howard, Fayetteville. The Committee met once during the year.

The Committee made the following recommendations to the NCSNA Board of Directors, who approved them at the midyear meeting in March:

1. Supporting the position of the American Nurses' Association that, for the purposes of the Nurse Training Act, use of public funds be limited to those schools of nursing which have achieved National League for Nursing accreditation or have reasonable assurance of such accreditation.

2. Reaffirming support of legislation providing federal funds for scholarships for basic nursing students.

3. Endorsing the position of ANA in support of extending coverage of the Fair Labor Standards Act to employees in hospitals and nursing homes.

4. Endorsing continued strengthening of the state-supported educational programs for registered nurses in colleges and universities as the best use of state funds in support of nursing education.

5. Supporting continuation of the Medical Care Commission's loan-scholarship program at the level requested by the Commission for the 1967-69 biennium.

NCSNA has made written or personal contact with Congressmen and Senators during the year on the following legislation:

1. NCSNA supported the Public Health Services Amendments to promote and assist in extension and improvement of comprehensive health planning and public health service.

2. NCSNA supported extending coverage of the Fair Labor Standards Act.

3. NCSNA opposed proposed amendments which would weaken immigration regulations regarding admitting alien nurses to the United States.

For several months NCSNA has participated in preparation of recommendations to the State Legislative Research Commission concerning steps the state can take to provide more registered nurses for North Carolina. A subcommittee of the Commission held a hearing on June 28, 1966, at which representatives of several organizations and agencies concerned

with nursing education presented recommendations. Your chairman presented a brief at this hearing outlining the position of NCSNA on nursing education as stated in "Guidelines for Nursing Education in North Carolina." This brief strongly stated that the greatest single factor in the shortage of nurses is the economic factor, and it outlined efforts of NCSNA to attract inactive nurses back into practice. The brief urged that the state invest funds available for nursing education in the six associate degree and six baccalaureate programs already established in state educational institutions. It reiterated the NCSNA Board of Directors support of the nationally accredited hospital schools and recognition of the state's dependency on these schools for some time to come for a large share of the nurse supply.

The Subcommittee also heard proposals from allied health organizations for state grants to all hospital schools of nursing.

Following this hearing, the Subcommittee requested the Joint Committee on Nursing Education of the State Board of Education and the State Board of Higher Education for a "package" recommendation representing the views of the several organizations and agencies that appeared at the June 28 hearing. The full Legislative Research Commission held a hearing on August 12, with the same organizations and agencies participating, on the subject of the shortage of personnel in the health field. It was agreed that the Joint Committee on Nursing Education needed more time to complete development of its recommendations.

NCSNA representatives participated in the deliberations of the Joint Committee on Education and its Special Subcommittee to Formulate Recommendations. At a meeting on September 15, the Joint Committee on Education approved a "package" recommendation on legislative action. This "package" has been approved by the State Board of Higher Education and submitted to the State Board of Education and the various health groups involved. It will be considered by the NCSNA Board of Directors at its annual meeting.

The "package" calls for:

1. Approval of budget requests for all existing types of state-supported nursing education programs

2. Assistance to diploma schools of nursing through funds appropriated to the State Board of Education and available to diploma schools, at their option, under guidelines and standards set by the Department of Community Colleges

3. Approval of "B" budget requests of the School of Nursing at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill for Continuing Education Programs in nursing

4. Increased funds for the Scholarship-Loan Fund of the North Carolina Medical Care Commission

This "package" represents a composite of the thinking of the several organizations and agencies concerned with nursing education. Supporting this "package" does not mean that NCSNA will be asking for a legislative hand-out for diploma schools of nursing. It does mean that if state funds are appropriated to the State Board of Education for assistance to diploma schools, through the Department of Community Colleges, the schools applying for this assistance will have to meet the criteria of eligibility established by an official state educational body.

Those who represented NCSNA at the summer conferences and hearings believe our actions have reflected the intent of "Guidelines" and that the nursing profession can have faith in the State Board of Education to develop the kind of criteria that will insure the soundest use of state funds.

COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP PROMOTION

Mrs. Carolyn Greene, High Point, Chairman

Other members of the Committee are: Mrs. Mary Bullock, Fayetteville; Ruth Falls, Charlotte; Sister Mary Patricia Doyle, Charlotte; Mrs. Cathryne C. Kennedy, Gastonia; Mrs. Judith Phillips, Waynesville; Mrs. Gladys Poindexter, Winston-Salem; and Carolyn Williams, Chapel Hill.

The Membership Committee under the chairmanship of Carolyn Williams presented a program, "Nurses Can Go Further Together," at the 1965 annual meeting of the NCSNA Advisory Council held October 26, 1965. The Committee recommended at this time that a state-wide Workshop on Membership Promotion be held in September, 1966. This recommendation was accepted and the 1966 Membership Committee held its first planning meeting March 30, 1966, at headquarters office in Raleigh with Carolyn Greene, new chairman presiding. At this time it was decided that a membership workshop would be held September 9, 1966, at the Holiday Inn, Burlington. This workshop, designed to give districts some new ideas about how to sell our product - ANA and NCSNA membership - had as its theme Operation Booster-Membership Express. Each district was invited to send four representatives. Sixty-Five nurses attended, representing 18 districts.

The Workshop featured two very special guest speakers: William R. Henderson of High Point, president of Bennett Advertsing Company; and Mrs. Ruth Harper, New York, chairman of ANA Committee on Membership Promotion.

Mr. Henderson lead off the program with ideas on how to sell our product. His talk was entitled, "Dare to Be a Daniel."

Mrs. Harper then discussed, "The Product - The ANA Program." The Membership Committee then explained the membership train prepared by Fonda Stephenson of District Three, Winston-Salem.

The afternoon session "Free Riders - Professional Hoboes," featured a panel, moderated by Mrs. Margaret Dolan. This panel, representing various sections of nursing, discussed: "Why Nurses Don't Join Their Professional Association?"

After the panel discussion, buzz sessions, "Put Your Shoulder to the Wheel" were held. This gave the members present a chance to talk about the membership functions and activities of their district. In conclusion, Mrs. Gladys Poindexter summarized the workshop with a talk, "Buy a First Class Ticket."

The summary of this workshop will be sent to the districts. At the Committee's evaluation session immediately following the workshop, plans were also made to send ANA membership promotional materials to the districts to be used for their membership drive. The Committee voted to designate the month of November for a concentrated membership drive throughout the state.

The membership by sections as of September 30, 1966, was as follows:

	Members
EACT	404
General Duty	732
Head Nurse	371
NSA	596
Occupational Health	46
Office Nurse	91
Private Duty	995
Public Health	432
CESR	15

COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS
Martha M. Adams, Winston-Salem, Chairman

Other members of the Committee are: Mrs. Bettie W. Batty, Charlotte; Mary McRee, Raleigh; Mrs. Rebekah J. Burriss, Carolina Beach; and Mrs. Jane G. Reynolds, Leaksville.

Following the usual procedure and in compliance with the Bylaws of NCSNA, the chairman of the Committee on Nominations wrote an appeal to each district president, requesting that a suggested slate of officers for the state association be submitted for consideration for the ballot

to be voted at convention in October. Of the thirty districts, five districts responded.

On May 24, the Committee met at Headquarters to nominate persons recommended by their colleagues as having the qualities of leadership and responsibility needed for office in NCSNA. Letters of request to serve were written, and the response was excellent. The willingness of so many members to serve the Association was gratifying to the Committee and made its job much easier.

The NCSNA Committee on Nominations presents the following list of nominees for officers of the North Carolina State Nurses' Association for the coming year:

President	*Dr. Eloise R. Lewis*	*Greensboro*
First Vice-President	*Mrs. Mary Edith Rogers*	*Belmont*
	Mrs. Verna H. Wilkinson	*Charlotte*
Second Vice-President	*Dr. Virginia Stone*	*Durham*
	Mrs. Naomi W. Wynn	*Greensboro*
Secretary	*Mrs. Mary W. Bullock*	*Fayetteville*
	Mrs. Catherine P. Layton	*Greensboro*
Treasurer	*Mrs. Eva W. Warren*	*Greenville*
Directors (elect 2)	*Elinor B. Caddell*	*Charlotte*
	Mrs. Susan B. Ennis	*Greensboro*
	Mrs. Sarah W. Hitchcock	*Raleigh*
	Elizabeth S. Holley	*Raleigh*
	Mrs. Ruth F. Peters	*Fayetteville*
	Mrs. Winnie B. Waters	*Wilmington*
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	*Agnes F. Campbell*	*Winston-Salem*
	Mary Jo Dempsey	*Wilmington*
	Sister Mary Patricia Doyle	*Charlotte*
	Mrs. Betty C. Eller	*Greensboro*
	Mrs. Mary Ruth M. Griffin	*Rocky Mount*
	Mrs. Olivia M. Street	*Raleigh*

The following reports from the sections of the North Carolina State Nurses' Association have been received and are herewith submitted:

EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATORS, CONSULTANTS, AND TEACHERS SECTION

Chairman	*(To be nominated)*	
Second Vice-Chairman	*Carolyn V. Williams*	*Chapel Hill*
Executive Committee (elect 1)	*Agnes F. Campbell*	*Winston-Salem*
	Mrs. Ruth J. Harris	*Durham*
	Mrs. Carrie H. Walden	*Greensboro*

Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Mrs. Ruth W. Geddings	Asheville
	Mrs. Edith M. Hoover	Statesville
	Mrs. Jo Anne Rodri	Roanoke Rapids
	Mary Alice Whitfield	Wilmington
	Carrie R. Young	Kannapolis
	Louise Yount	Hickory

GENERAL DUTY NURSES SECTION

Chairman	Janice Merrill	Hendersonville
First Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Lucy D. Johnson	Leaksville
	Mrs. Mary A. Murphy	Southern Pines
	Gladys Van Poole	Salisbury
Second Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Sallie L. Baker	Charlotte
	Mrs. Ruth S. McNair	Raeford
	Helen F. Pfeiffer	Durham
Secretary	Mary Jo Dempsey	Wilmington
	Mrs. Eleanor C. Osborne	Waynesville
Executive Committee (elect 2)	Mrs. Willistine S. Blackshear	Wilson
	Mrs. Mary W. Bowden	Wallace
	Patricia A. Harrington	Burlington
	Mrs. Sadie Phelps	Colerain
	Mrs. Evelyn M. Sparks	Asheville
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Mrs. Ethel B. Hill	Rocky Mount
	(To be nominated)	
	(To be nominated)	

HEAD NURSE SECTION

Chairman	Lula M. Harris	Durham
	Mrs. Hannah H. Padgett	Cleveland
First Vice-Chairman	Mary Van Poole	Winston-Salem
Second Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Kathie Bryson	Durham
Secretary	Jean Fanning	Winston-Salem
	Mrs. Ella T. Musselwhite	Red Springs
Executive Committee (elect 2)	Mrs. Eunice G. Barrow	New Bern
	Mrs. Mary C. Davison	Hillsborough
	Mrs. Sue L. Durrett	Durham
	Mrs. Shirley Gaddis	Waynesville
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Mrs. Tillie Coats	Clayton
	(To be nominated)	
	(To be nominated)	

NURSING SERVICE ADMINISTRATORS SECTION

Chairman	Hilda C. Burnham	Smithfield
	Mary Helen Hovis	Iron Station

Second Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Wynona M. Shuman	Henderson
	Mrs. Edna H. Whitworth	Hickory
Executive Committee (elect 1)	Mrs. Mildred K. Furmage	McCain
	Mrs. Sarah W. Hitchcock	Raleigh
	Mrs. Elizabeth W. Padgett	Statesville
	Florence S. Schroeder	Fayetteville
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Mrs. Louise Angel	Franklin
	Mrs. Fitzhugh A. Kessler	Henderson
	Eva M. King	Rocky Mount
	Catherine M. Miller	Burlington
	Mrs. Betty E. Saraceno	Lexington
	Mrs. Pauline A. Tedder	Wilkesboro
	Mrs. Lucille L. Wilkerson	Wilson

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH NURSES SECTION

Chairman	Mrs. Etta C. Horner	Charlotte
First Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Margaret A. Gaddy	Siler City
	Mrs. Brenda V. Minix	Winston-Salem
Second Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Jeanette C. Abbott	Canton
	Mrs. Marjorie H. Kirkpatrick	Asheville
Secretary	Mrs. Della M. Moore	Raleigh
	Mrs. Jane G. Reynolds	Leaksville
Executive Committee (elect 2)	Mrs. Patsy T. Turner	Draper
	(To be nominated)	
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Mrs. Jewell Stockton	Albemarle
	(To be nominated)	
	(To be nominated)	

OFFICE NURSES SECTION

Chairman	Mrs. Shirley Eaton	Charlotte
First Vice-Chairman	Hazel Johnson	High Point
	Mrs. Mary S. Walker	Dunn
Second Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Helen S. Scott	Wilson
Secretary	Mrs. Lucille C. Hartman	Winston-Salem
Executive Committee (elect 2)	Mrs. Carolyn Carroll	Shelby
	Ruby Dameron	Charlotte
	Alma Kermon	Raleigh
	Mrs. Mildred N. McKericher	Charlotte
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Mrs. Sally S. Furtado	Waynesville
	Mrs. Ann M. Warner	Washington
	(To be nominated)	

PRIVATE DUTY NURSES SECTION

Chairman	Mrs. Thelma H. Jerkins	Wilson
	Mrs. Hazel E. Sessums	Winston-Salem
Second Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Elizabeth D. Harviel	Burlington
	Mrs. Marjorie P. Rouse	Kinston
Executive Committee (elect 2)	Mrs. Juanita M. Clontz	Charlotte
	Mrs. Martha Furr	High Point
	Mrs. Lois B. McLaughlin	Charlotte
	Mrs. Annie C. Shelton	High Point
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Mrs. Amelia H. Chesser	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Adelaide C. Farabee	Lexington
	Mrs. Kathleen O. High	Gaston
	Mrs. Marguerite P. Reeve	Raleigh
	Mrs. Grace T. Turner	Greenville

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSES SECTION

Chairman	Mrs. Mildred B. Madden	Charlotte
First Vice-Chairman	Virginia D. Phillips	Raleigh
	Julia D. Watkins	Chapel Hill
Second Vice-Chairman	Mrs. Jessie M. DeVane	Fayetteville
	Mrs. Pearl R. Maxwell	Charlotte
	Sylvia S. Vincent	Raleigh
Secretary	Mrs. Joan M. Martin	Durham
	Mrs. Mary T. Thomas	Fayetteville
Executive Committee (elect 2)	Mrs. Evelyn H. Dudley	Durham
	Mrs. Nedra C. Kincannon	Asheville
	Mrs. Cleo G. Osborne	Greensboro
	Sister Mary Theresa	Charlotte
Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	Mrs. Christine H. Beeston	Chapel Hill
	Mrs. Sybil C. Berry	Charlotte
	Mrs. Ruth A. Gwyn	Winston-Salem
	Mrs. Jean T. Lassiter	Elizabeth City
	Mrs. Mildred C. Miller	Asheville

OPERATING ROOM NURSES CONFERENCE GROUP

Chairman	Mrs. Elizabeth A. Byrd	Durham
Vice-Chairman	Mary E. Orren	Belmont
	Mrs. Mary P. Piner	Holly Ridge
Secretary	Mrs. Tiney H. Garrison	Burlington
	Eva M. King	Rocky Mount

Committee on Nominations (elect 3)	*Mary Frances Folk*	*Fayetteville*
	Leathon E. Goodin	*Statesville*
	Mrs. Virginia G. McKee	*Charlotte*
	Mrs. Fonda E. Stephenson	*Winston-Salem*

COMMITTEE ON NURSES' PROFESSIONAL REGISTRIES
Mrs. Ruth Jacokes, Durham, Chairman

Other members of the Committee are: Mrs. Katheryn T. Peebles, Raleigh; and Mrs. Juanita Clontz, Charlotte.

The Committee on Nurses' Professional Registries held one meeting during the year--March 4, 1966, in Headquarter's Office. The Committee made the following recommendations to the NCSNA Board of Directors which were approved by the Board at its Midyear Meeting on March 16, 1966:

1. *That if a nurse is inactive in nursing for five years or more she must take a refresher course or work as a general duty nurse under supervision for a specified time to be determined cooperatively by the local Registry Committee and Director of Nursing Service.*

2. *That the minimum salary standard for a Registrar of a Nurses' Professional Registry be $300.00 per month.*

3. *That the services of a Nurses' Professional Registry be extended only to licensed persons--registered nurses and licensed practical nurses--in order for the registry to maintain its professional and official status with the approval of the NCSNA Board of Directors.*

The Committee suggested revisions in the form used to evaluate registries and recommended that NCSNA evaluate the Eleven Nurses' Professional Registries during 1966. The Evaluation Forms have been completed by the registries and were presented to the NCSNA Board of Directors on October 18 for re-approval of each registry.

The Committee strongly recommends that each registry establish employment standards and a job description for the registrar.

A copy of the NCSNA Standards for Nurses' Professional Registries and a copy of A Guide for the Preparation of a Refresher Course for Registered Nurses were sent to each district nurses' association sponsoring a nurses' professional registry.

NCSNA purchased and mailed to each registry a copy of the 1966 edition of the ANA Registry Manual to be kept in the registry headquarters at all times. This Manual is a guide to aid the registry in its growth and development and to serve the nurse and the public more efficiently.

COMMITTEE ON PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING AND PLACEMENT SERVICE
Mrs. Verna H. Wilkinson, Charlotte, Chairman

Other members of the Committee are: Mrs. Cleo Osborne, Greensboro; Dorothy M. Wilkinson, Durham; Helen Majette, Chapel Hill; Mrs. Naomi Wynn, Greensboro; and Mrs. Jane Cartwright, Charlotte.

The Committee on PC&PS did not meet during the year, but it is hoped that each member has been active in interpreting PC&PS. A meeting of the Committee was scheduled for September 1, 1966, but it was necessary to cancel the meeting due to lack of quorum.

The NCSNA counselor has met with several district PC&PS committees and has conferred with several additional chairmen of district committees regarding their functions and activities.

As of January 1, 1966, all new PC&PS applications are compiled by ANA PC&PS with the exception of new graduates and applicants for nurses' professional registries. This is the main change in NCSNA PC&PS resulting from the reorganization of ANA PC&PS which is now a record center--compiling records, sending biographies to prospective employers, and storing inactive records.

The chairman wishes to call the attention of NCSNA members to the counselors statistical report in the Book of Reports.

COMMITTEE ON PROFESSIONAL NURSING PRACTICE
Mrs. Edith P. Brocker, Charlotte, Chairman

The Committee held its regular meeting on July 14. At its previous meeting, the Committee had reviewed the positions taken by the American Heart Association, the U. S. Public Health Service and the American Nurses' Association on the responsibilities of the nurse in administering external cardio-pulmonary resuscitation. Requests for guidance in assuming such responsibilities and for clear statements of the legal implications plus reports of the expectations of our professional and lay publics in dire emergency situations caused the Committee to believe that two steps should be taken: 1) to arrange a meeting with a representative group from the Medical Society of North Carolina with the hope of writing a joint policy statement on nursing responsibilities in administering external cardio-pulmonary resuscitation, and 2) the establishment of a liaison committee of the two groups to consider other matters in the independent area of nursing practice.

Every effort was made to effect these ideas. Telephone calls, letters, planned and "accidentally-on-purpose" meetings, resulted only in vague promises of a meeting "sometime soon" and the donation of copies of informational materials which we already had.

At its midyear meeting, the NCSNA Board of Directors was apprised of the feeble response, but they directed us to keep working on our project and, if necessary, to prepare a position statement which would be considered by the Board. In May, 1966, a letter from Dr. Fred Hubbard, Chairman of the Physicians' Committee on Nursing of the Medical Society gave us

substantial hope of a joint meeting on nursing education and practice.

In preparation for the writing of a position statement, our Executive Director had surveyed the nineteen state nurses' organizations that have been successful in securing joint statements on responsibilities of nursing in special procedures. All states responded and eighteen sent descriptive materials. These were summarized and sifted for guiding principles. Two relevant leaflets from ANA were studied and the article, "Legal Aspects of Hospital Nursing" by Attorney William C. Lassiter, were reviewed. Using these resources, the Committee wrote a succinct statement which they felt embodied the principles and was in line with the work of other states.

On July 28, Dr. Hubbard and five of his Committeemen met with the NCSNA Committee on Professional Nursing Practice. The joint meeting was an historic one. It was the first time the Physicians' Committee on Nursing had met in the Headquarter's Office and after a brisk, educative dialogue, agreement was reached upon a statement not too unlike the one prepared by the nurses.

At this time, the joint statement rests in the portfolio of the Council of the Medical Society of North Carolina. Our copy of the statement will be presented to our NCSNA Board ofDirectors at its preconventional meeting. We hope they will ratify it and communicate such favorable action to the Physician's Committee.

It is the intent of the Committee on Professional Nursing Practice to have a clear statement on the administration of external cardio-pulmonary resuscitation. It is our fervent hope that it will be a joint statement and that we can establish a procedure happily involving other professional organizations so that similar statements can be written, agreed upon and used when situations demand.

The Committee members have been faithful, industrious and dedicated to the purposes and functions of this Committee. Our demands on the staff have been heavy; they too, have been dedicated, industrious, and faithful.

COMMITTEE ON SERVICE FUND

Mrs. Mary B. Dellinger, Gastonia, Chairman

I. TRUST FUND in North Carolina National Bank, Greensboro, North Carolina, December 31, 1964 - December 31, 1965

Cash Balance from Income	$ 29.01	
Cash Balance in Principal Account	238.06	
Bonds held	5,000.00	
Mortgage held	5,734.79	
TOTAL in TRUST FUND, December 31, 1965	11,001.86	$11,001.86

II. CHECKING ACCOUNT in Concord National Bank, Concord, North Carolina, July 1, 1965 - June 30, 1966

Bank Balance, July 1, 1965		$ 587.33
Receipts:		
From redeemed bonds in North Carolina National Bank of Greensboro (Trust Fund) January 7, 1966	$ 1,000.00	1,000.00
		1,587.33
Disbursements:		
To beneficiaries at rate of $20 per month: 3 for 12 months	720.00	
Incidentals: Bond, March 17, 1966	18.00	
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	738.00	738.00
Bank Balance, June 30, 1966		$ 849.33

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON ALLIED NURSING PERSONNEL
Miriam Daughtry and Louise Egan, Raleigh, Co-Chairmen

The Committee on Allied Nursing Personnel under the co-chairmanship of Miriam Daughtry and Louise Egan has met three times, April 29, 1966, June 30, 1966, and September 14, 1966, at the Headquarters Office in Raleigh. Other members of this Committee are: Mary Vida Cheek, Durham; Ruth Clare Schweers, Charlotte; Mrs. Mary K. Patten, Wilmington; Hildred Harrison, New Bern; and Helen Majette, Chapel Hill.

At the first meeting April 29, 1966, the Committee was oriented to the organization and functions of the Committee.

A. The purpose of the Committee is as follows:

1. The Committee will review and disseminate information to District and State Nurses' Association membership relative to State and Federal legislation as it affects the training of health workers.

2. To establish effective working relationships with State Departments of Vocational Education.

3. To establish contacts with persons in State Departments of Labor who have responsibilities in the implementation of the legislation concerned with the training of health workers.

4. To encourage the establishment of Committees on Allied Nursing Personnel and other appropriate arrangements in all District Nurses' Associations where nurses will need to work with local groups involved in the implementation of education of health workers.

5. To assist District Nurses' Associations in carrying out their responsibilities for allied nursing personnel.

The need for the registered nurse to provide the guidance and leadership for the establishment and maintenance of education programs for allied nursing personnel and other health workers was emphasized.

B. So that we may better fulfill our responsibilities for giving professional nursing consultation to agencies responsible for the training of health occupations so that appropriate safeguards and standards may be established, the Committee on Allied Nursing Personnel of the North Carolina State Nurses' Association was formed.

Since this committee will serve as resource persons to the membership of the North Carolina State Nurses' Association, time was spent on providing the group with information related to Federal and State Legislation concerned with the education of paramedical personnel and with the educational institutions that may offer the programs in North Carolina.

The Committee met for the second time on June 30, 1966, to plan a course of action for the coming year.

At the June meeting the Committee decided to prepare guidelines to be used by the NCSNA Districts in conducting surveys of the health agencies within their areas to determine the need for allied nursing personnel. The guidelines are to include a sample of a questionnaire, how to compile data collected and a list of suggested reference readings that would be helpful to those persons conducting the community survey. It is anticipated that copies of the results of local surveys will be collected in the Headquarters Office and thereby present a state-wide indication of the need for allied nursing personnel. We believe that the collection of the data will lead to further support for educational programs for these workers as well as stimulate community interest in the worker in the field of health services.

The Committee met again on September 14, 1966, to work on the guidelines. It is anticipated that the Guidelines for Conducting a Community Survey will be distributed to the Districts by January, 1967.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON NCSNA MEMORIAL LOAN FUND
Louise Yount, Hickory, Chairman

Other members of the Committee are: Mrs. Ruby G. Barnes, Chapel Hill; and Agnes Campbell, Winston-Salem.

Balance in Savings Account, First National Bank
of Catawba County, Hickory, North Carolina
September 30, 1965 - $2,539.15

Contributions -	$ .00	
Repaid on Loans including interest- - - - - - - -	150.00	
Interest from account - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	103.17	
	253.17	$ 253.17

Loans made - none.

Balance in Savings Account, First National Bank of Catawba County, Hickory, North Carolina September 30, 1966 -	-2,792.32
Amount of loan and interest -	456.00
Total of account- -	$3,248.32

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON NURSING CARE OF THE CHRONICALLY ILL AND AGED
Virginia Stone, Durham, Chairman

This Committee, which has held two meetings, has concerned itself with analyzing ways of upgrading nursing care in nursing homes. Two major concerns were evidenced, based on reports from Committee members: the need for more professional nurses in nursing homes in order that the institutions would qualify for certification for "Medicare" and the need for special preparation in the area of gerontological nursing by all persons giving nursing care. It is believed that some inactive nurses could be attracted to nursing homes. Therefore one Committee member has attempted to arouse interest in this area. A letter was sent to each district requesting the development of a roster of inactive nurses with names being forwarded to NCSNA Headquarters Office. There has been a very limited response to this request and also to refresher courses.

Realizing the need for knowledge in order to feel more secure in nursing older people, a survey of special courses and curricula content at all levels was conducted by the Committee.

Though there is some increase of activity in gerontological nursing, the need for master teachers to teach others who have major responsibility for caring for older people lead to the following recommendation to be presented to the Board of Directors: That the North Carolina State Nurses' Association in conjunction with the Duke School of Nursing and/or the University of North Carolina School of Nursing develop a plan to prepare master teachers in gerontological nursing. Funding, selection of participants, and curriculum planning would be the responsibility of the NCSNA and the selected school(s) of nursing.

Committee members are working closely with allied groups so that we might coordinate activities throughout the state.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON NURSING IN NATIONAL DEFENSE
Virginia Nelson, Chapel Hill, Chairman

Committee members were Hildred Harrison, Mrs. Naomi Wynn, and Virginia

Nelson. Meetings were held on March 22 and April 28. Discussion centered on new pamphlets on disaster, personal experiences of district members in disasters which had been submitted at the request of last year's committee and beginning plans of ways to assist the Armed Forces in nurse recruitment.

EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATORS, CONSULTANTS, AND TEACHERS SECTION
Mrs. Naomi Wynn, Greensboro, Chairman

Other officers of the EACT Section are: Mrs. Grace C. Lee, First Vice-Chairman; Louise C. Egan, Second Vice-Chairman; Nancy Carolyn Cheshire, Secretary; Joyce Faye Riddle and Mrs. Elinor Medlin, Executive Committee; Mrs Barbara H. Johnson, Laura S. Breese, and Mrs. Julia B. Spight, members of the Committee on Nominations.

The Executive Committee met three times during the year.

At the Post-Convention Board of Directors Meeting of the NCSNA, the Section's concern for initiating action to explore the topic, "New Health Legislation - Its Implication for Nursing," was expressed. Other NCSNA Sections indicated an interest in becoming more knowledgeable about the same general theme. A two-day conference was planned and held on April 19 and 20, the main topic, "Medicare and Its Implications for Nursing."

On November 30, 1965, a joint meeting with the Executive Committee of the NSA Section was held and a guide prepared for a refresher course in nursing.

On December 1, 1965, the Executive Committee approved the guide for a refresher course. Committee appointments were made and plans for the spring conference were discussed.

A meeting was held of the Nominating Committee on July 15, to prepare the slate for the Annual Convention. The Program Committee met on April 19, at Watts Hospital, Durham, North Carolina, to complete plans for the Annual Convention Program Meeting.

Delegates attending the ANA Biennial Convention, elected by the Section, were Mrs. Edith Brocker and Mrs. Naomi W. Wynn.

Membership of the EACT Section as of September 30, 1966, was 404.

It has been a pleasure and a real gratifying experience functioning as chairman of the EACT Section this year.

GENERAL DUTY SECTION
Mrs. Evelyn M. Sparks, Asheville, Chairman

Other officers of section: Mrs. Mary A. Murphy, First Vice-Chairman, Southern Pines; Mrs. Ruth S. McNair, Second Vice-Chairman, Raeford; Mrs. Eleanor C. Osborne, Secretary, Waynesville; Mrs. Mary Joseph Dempsey,

Wilmington, and Mrs. Annie W. McKoy, Asheville, members of the Executive Committee.

Five members were present at Joint Executive Committees meeting, December 1, at NCSNA Headquarters, Raleigh, to complete Section's list of Committee appointments to set up a budget for 1967, and to make plans for a spring workshop. The Executive Committee voted to recommend an increase for individual delegates to 1966 ANA Convention to $150 instead of $100 previously budgeted and approved by the Board of Directors. The subject, "Surgical, Medical, and Psychological Aspects of Geriatric Nursing," was tentatively announced as the theme for the Workshop, but later withdrawn at the Combined Committees Luncheon Meeting in order to join the other sections in Joint Conference on Medicare. Our original theme was reserved for a program at a later date. Proposed ANA Structure and Function Changes were discussed and intensive study in the District was encouraged.

The proposal to hold State Conventions and Workshops in alternate years was discussed and a negative attitude prevailed. Reasons stated: 1) Workshops and convention are important selling points in our efforts to maintain and increase membership. 2) Holding Convention biennially may result in loss of interest for many current members. 3) Annual Conventions realize better attendance and exchange of ideas and professional information than workshops. 4) We are reluctant to risk a foreseeable lag in interest and loss of fellowship and rapport between representative groups of nurses in our professional organization. 5) Annual Conventions are an invigorating and necessary experience which helps our organization to thrive and grow.

Your Chairman and Secretary were privileged to attend an Officers' Workshop in Statesville in February to become better informed on the activities of ANA, NCSNA, and the responsibilities of officers on district and state levels. We were also able to join the many nurses at the NCSNA Workshop on Membership Promotion, September 9, in Burlington. Four of our members were participants in the membership program, and the enthusiasm of speakers and audience will hopefully be contagious and stimulate a marked increase in membership in all areas. Certainly this should be one of our greatest concerns second only to professional competency and quality of practice.

Your Chairman was a grateful recipient of one of the twenty-one invitations sent to representatives of NCSNA and Nursing Schools to attend the North Carolina Conference on the Implementation of Medicare. This two-day conference, co-sponsored by the Medical Society of North Carolina and the Joint Committee for Health Care of the Chronically Ill and Aging involved all state-wide organizations and agencies that will be concerned with Medicare in our state. Much enlightening and thought-provoking information was imparted by speakers in general sessions and by participants in the workshop groups.

The Section Chairman attended both pre and post-convention meetings of the NCSNA Board of Directors in October, the Mid-year Board Meeting, and Coordinating Council of NCSNA and NCLN in March in Durham. Some of the important Board actions supported by the Section were: reaffirmed

support of legislation providing Federal funds for scholarships for basic nursing students, support of ANA position that use of public funds be limited to NLN Accredited Nursing Schools, approval of recommendation of Committee on Nurses' Professional Registries that a nurse inactive for five years or more must take refresher course or work as a staff nurse under supervision for a time specified jointly by local registry committees and directors of nursing service, approval of revised standards for nurses' registries and limitation of services of professional registries to licensed persons only--Registered Nurses and Licensed Practical Nurses. Many other important items of business were covered by the North Carolina State Nurses' Association and the North Carolina League for Nursing at these spring meetings. I hope you have read your League News and Tar Heel Nurse.

General Duty was well represented at NCSNA Joint Sections Conference on Medicare and Geriatric Nursing, April 19-20 in Durham. In the Medicare portion of the conference many questions were answered for nurses in every phase of professional practice. The speakers were excellent and audience response was very good. Reports were given in the clinical sessions by sections' representatives who had attended ANA Regional Clinical Conferences in Miami, Florida and Washington, D. C. in the fall. Shirley Shupe, Winston-Salem; Mary Orren, Charlotte; and your Chairman gave reports for General Duty nurses. The concerted efforts of the Sections in this conference were very gratifying.

On May 3 your Chairman; Secretary; and Eunice Seaborn, member and former chairman, attended the NCSNA Workshop on Proposed Revisions of ANA Bylaws in Durham. ANA delegates, Board Members, Section Executive Committees' members, and District Presidents attending were ably informed by Mrs. Betty Eller and her Committee on Bylaws and Study of ANA Function. This pre-convention preparation, arranged and directed by Mrs. Noell and her staff was indeed helpful to delegates and others responsible for relaying information to the NCSNA members.

The Program Committee, Chaired by Mrs. Maude Guthrie, met on May 21 in Asheville to make plans for the Convention Program. The subject matter accepted by the NCSNA Convention Program Committee on May 25 was "Current Treatment of Burns" which will be presented at our program session, Thursday, October 20, by three knowledgeable speakers.

Minimum Employment Standards were revised and adopted October, 1965.

There was no report from the Rules Committee; action was deferred until ANA and NCSNA Convention business completed.

Mrs. Pauline DeLozier and the other members of the Nominating Committee have met at Headquarters of the North Carolina State Nurses' Association, Raleigh, and prepared a slate of officers to be presented at the section's annual business meeting.

ANA Convention in San Francisco was a stimulating and gratifying experience for your Chairman and all other NCSNA delegates. This was truly a history-making convention and any delegate could feel justifiably

proud to be participating as a representative of his or her state and district organizations. You, too, can feel proud that your state's delegation was so orderly and well-informed thanks to the efforts of Mrs. Marie B. Noell, Mrs. Betty Eller, and others who helped to prepare us to seek "Directions for Tomorrow" for nursing.

As Chairman of the Professional Practice Committee, I met with Mrs. Brocker's State Committee in Raleigh, July 14 and July 28. The latter resulted in the long awaited formulation of a Joint Statement of the Physician's Committee on Nursing of Medical Society of North Carolina and the Professional Practice Committee of the North Carolina State Nurses' Association. Discussed were nurses' application of external cardio-pulmonary resuscitation and other treatments. The physicians attending this Joint Meeting of the Committees seemed equally concerned with the need for such a statement regarding policies and responsibilities. The Section Committee will meet in Winston-Salem to discuss the use of the Guide of the Professional Practice Committee and activities or problems.

On behalf of the Section, I wish to express our gratitude to Dr. Key Barkley, Mr. James Hudson of the American Nurses' Association staff, and Mr. Eugene Smith for their efforts in making our program and Advisory Forum so successful at last year's convention.

As your retiring Chairman, I extend my sincere appreciation for the opportunity to serve with and for you. The experience has been enlightening and rewarding to me, both personally and professionally. I am truly grateful for your assistance and support. Again I offer my sincere thanks to the Officers and Headquarters Staff of the North Carolina State Nurses' Association.

Membership of the General Duty Section is 732.

HEAD NURSE SECTION
Mrs. Mary C. Davison, Hillsborough, Chairman

Other officers of the Head Nurse Section are: Lula M. Harris, Durham, First Vice-Chairman; Mrs. Sylvia D. Cline, Southern Pines, Second Vice-Chairman; Mrs. Eunice G. Barrow, New Bern, Secretary; Mrs. Lucille Mahood, Winston-Salem, and Sister Mary Catherine Siepel, Southern Pines, members of the Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee met once during the year, at which time the Section budget was studied and the resulting proposal included an increase in the amount designated for workshops. This proposal grew out of the apparent interest in "workshop type" programs as evidenced by the membership

At the Executive Committee meeting, appointments to the various Section Committees were made.

Several Section members have participated actively in NCSNA sponsored programs and on state committees during the year. Many more have evidenced their interest in and desire for professional growth by their attendance at programs and meetings.

A noteworthy accomplishment is the growth in membership of the Head Nurse Sectipn:

March, 1965 - 133 (attendance at Section business meeting, 57)
March, 1966 - 213
Present Membership - September 30, 1966 - 371

NURSING SERVICE ADMINISTRATORS SECTION
Florence S. Schroeder, Fayetteville, Chairman

Other officers of the Section are: Dorothy E. Fuller, Waynesville, First Vice-Chairman; Ann Rhodes, Charlotte, Second Vice-Chairman; Mary Ruth Ingram, Winston-Salem, Secretary; Sister Mary Patricia Doyle, Charlotte, and Carolyn B. Cavenaugh, Warsaw, members of the Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee met December 1, 1965, at NCSNA Headquarters Office. Section Committee appointments were made. Following this joint meeting of committees, the NSA Section members, in conjunction with members from the EACT Section, developed "A Guide for the Preparation of a Refresher Course for Registered Nurses." This was published for distribution.

The Chairman and Myrtle Barnette attended the ANA Clinical Conference on "Quality Patient Care" in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Lucy Brown represented the Section at the Clinical Conference on "Cardiac Nursing" in Miami, Florida. The Chairman moderated the panel giving the reports on the conference at the Joint Section Conference in April. She also submitted a summary of the sessions to Headquarters for a possible publication.

In May, 1966, the Chairman sent to all Directors of Nursing Service a recommendation for accepting the "Standards of Organized Nursing Services" issued by ANA as an excellent guide for conducting an effective Nursing Service.

The Chairman was an elected delegate to the ANA Convention in San Francisco. In preparation, she attended the one-day workshop on the proposed revisions of Bylaws of the ANA.

The Section assisted the ANA Section by reviewing drafts for "Statements of Beliefs on Inservice Education" and "Statements of Functions and Qualifications for the Inservice Educator."

Sincere thanks is given to members of the Headquarters Staff who have been very helpful in coordinating activities of the Section.

The membership of the Nursing Service Administrators Section as of September 30, 1966, was 596.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH SECTION
Mrs. Virginia G. Cartlidge, Charlotte, Chairman

Other officers of the Occupational Health Section are: First Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Faye R. Abernathy, Hickory; Second Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Jane G. Reynolds, Leaksville; Secretary, Mrs. Helen C. Leonard, Cherryville; Executive Committee, Mrs. Brenda V. Minix, Winston-Salem, and Mrs. Kathleen G. Taylor, Winston-Salem.

The Executive Committee met on December 1, 1965, at Headquarters Office. Appointments were made to the Standing Committee, and plans were discussed for a workshop to be held jointly with the Office Nurse Section on "Medicare Coverage." Because all sections chose this topic, plans were formulated for a Joint Section Conference on "Medicare, Its Implications for Nursing" which was held at the Jack Tar Hotel in Durham, April 19 and 20, 1966.

The North Carolina Safety Conference was held in Asheville on May 26, 1966. Our membership was well represented with Mrs. Diora Westmoreland and Mrs. Virginia Cartlidge serving as chairman and vice-chairman in the Industrial Nursing Section.

Membership in the Occupational Health Section as of September 30, 1966 is 46.

OFFICE NURSES SECTION
Ruby Dameron, Charlotte, Chairman

Other officers of this Section are: Mrs. Jeannette K. Alexander, First Vice-Chairman; Mrs. Shirley T. Eaton, Second Vice-Chairman; Mrs. Lucille C. Hartman, Secretary; Alma Kermon and Ramona K. Stanford, members of the Executive Committee.

The Executive Board of the North Carolina Office Nurses' Section met immediately after the Business Meeting of the Convention in 1965. The Chairman asked for volunteers for chairman and members to serve on

committees and all vacancies were filled for the current year.

The Chairman attended the ANA Clinical Conference in Washington, November 3-5, 1965, and gave a report of this conference, "Exploring Progress in Nursing Practice," on Wednesday, April 20, 1966, at the Joint Section Conference in Durham, North Carolina. Jeannette Alexander participated in the panel on Facilitating Home Care Programs.

The Executive Committee attended the joint meeting of NCSNA Section Executive Committees to:

1. Complete appointment of committees

2. Make suggestions to the NCSNA President of a section representative on the NCSNA Committee on Professional Practice

3. Plan budget for 1967

4. Make plans for workshop for 1966

5. Fill any vacancies which may have occurred on section Executive Committees

Out of this meeting came the idea of Joint Section Conference on Medicare--Its Implications for Nursing, held at the Jack Tar Hotel in Durham, North Carolina, April 19-20, 1966.

The Chairman served on the Ad Hoc Committee to study the feasibility of biennial conventions of NCSNA. She also attended the called meeting of District Presidentsand members of the NCSNA Board of Directors on July 27 in Chapel Hill to hear the report of the study by this Committee.

The Chairman and Vice-Chairman were delegates to the American Nurses' Association Convention in San Francisco, California, June 13-17, 1966.

The Chairman served on the Committee on Professional Nurse Practice of the American Nurses' Association and attended two meetings of the Committee in New York. Mary Rose Harrison was appointed to represent the section on the NCSNA Committee on Professional Nursing Practice.

We are still plagued with the problem of membership which as of September 30, 1966 is 91.

PRIVATE DUTY SECTION

Mrs. Juanita M. Clontz, Charlotte, Chairman

Other officers of this Section are: Mrs. June S. Strickland, First Vice-Chairman, High Point; Mrs. Irene Beland, Second Vice-Chairman, Wilson; Mrs. Jane M. Cartwright, Secretary, Charlotte; Mrs. Bettie W. Batty, member of Executive Committee, Charlotte; and Mrs. Mary Lee Peterson, member of Executive Committee, Wake Forest.

The Chairman served as a member of the NCSNA Board of Directors and attended the post-convention and the mid-year Board meetings--also the Coordinating Council of NCSNA and NCLN.

At the 1965 post-convention meeting in Durham, the Board approved a state-wide minimum standards fee increase from $16 to $18 for each eight-hour tour of duty for the private duty nurse.

A post-convention meeting of the Private Duty Advisory Forum was also held to correct and approve minutes of the Private Duty business session and to review suggestions presented for committee appointments.

At the joint meeting of the Sections Executive Committees held in Raleigh, December 1, 1965, the 1966 Section budget suggestion was formulated and standing committee members were appointed for 1966.

Also, a workshop was planned on the theme of Nursing Care and Treatment by Radiation and Isotopes, to be held in Durham in April, 1966.

Mrs. Ida Howard was appointed to represent the Private Duty Section on the Committee on Professional Practice.

The Chairman served on the NCSNA Registry Committee which met in Raleigh on March 4.

A two-day joint section conference was held April 19 and 20 on Medicare, Its Implications for Nursing.

The Chairman attended and presided at the conference on Nursing Care and Treatment of Cancer by Radiation and Isotopes. Contributors at this conference were: Dr. Max Schiebel, Surgeon, Durham; Dr. Boyd T. Worde, Radiologist, Duke University ; and Mrs. Ruth S. Harris, Faculty, Duke University School of Nursing.

The material presented was very informative and the consensus was that the two days were well spent.

On May 3, the Chairman attended the Workshop in Durham on ANA Structure Study for ANA delegates. Caroline Singletary served on a panel and made an excellent contribution.

On May 25, the program Committee met. A report of the Private Duty Section Program Committee was sent to the NCSNA Committee on Program.

The Chairman attended the ANA Convention in San Francisco as a delegate. North Carolina was well represented at this informative and stimulating meeting. Delegates appreciated the privilege of representing our State at this Committee.

On July 27, the Chairman attended a Special Committee Meeting to consider biennial conventions for NCSNA. This meeting was chairmed by Dr. Eloise Lewis. Results will be reported at the Convention in October.

As Chairman of the Private Duty Section, the past two years, I want to especially thank my committees, members of which have made so many

things possible. Everyone was most helpful.

Membership as of September 30, 1966 is 995.

PUBLIC HEALTH SECTION
Mrs. Cleo Osborne, Greensboro, Chairman

Other officers of the Public Health Section are: First Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Patricia Bullock, Raleigh; Second Vice-Chairman, Julia Watkins, Chapel Hill; Secretary, Eunice Benjamin, Charlotte; and members of the Executive Committee, Virginia Phillips, Raleigh and Mrs. Marjory Pearsall, Greensboro.

Delegates elected to ANA Convention, 1966, were Eunice Benjamin, Charlotte and Mrs. Marjory Pearsall, Greensboro.

The Executive Committee met in the University Room of the Jack Tar Hotel, Durham, immediately following the Public Health Program Section of the convention, October 28, 1965, Mrs. Cleo Osborne presiding. Standing committee appointments for the year were made. The next Executive Committee Meeting was held at Headquarters in Raleigh on December 1, 1965. At the time, section budget recommendations were made to the NCSNA Finance Committee. Suggestions were made for spring workshop.

The Program Committee met with Elizabeth Holley in Chapel Hill on January 10, 1966, and program plans were completed for the annual spring workshop. The joint section conference was held April 19-20 at Jack Tar Hotel, Durham. Topic - MEDICARE - Its Implication for Nursing. The Public Health Clinical Session "Facilitating Home Care Programs" featured Margaret Keller, Consultant on Medicare, State Board of Health, Raleigh. Her subject was "Certification of Home Health Services" and Mrs. Betty Elliot, Charlotte, North Carolina, talked on "Utilization of Health Personnel."

A panel on "Essentials in Sharing Nursing" was presented. Serving on the panel were: Julia Watkins, Public Health Nurse; Mrs. Jeannette Alexander, Office Nurse; June Watson, Hospital Nurse; and Mrs. Edith Chance, representing Nursing Homes.

This was a very stimulating and informative workshop and was well attended.

My appreciation goes to the participants and to the officers, Headquarters Staff and members of the section for their cooperation and assistance.

The Chairman attended the Executive Meetings of NCSNA, the Coordinating Council of NCSNA and the North Carolina League for Nursing. The Chairman served on the Committee for Lee Parker ScholarshipsApplications, NCSNA Convention Program and as a member of the Standing Committee on Professional Counseling and Placement Service.

Membership in Public Health Section as of September 30, 1966, was 432.

OPERATING ROOM CONFERENCE GROUP
Mary Orren, Belmont, Chairman

The Operating Room Conference Group of the NCSNA held its annual meeting in Durham, North Carolina, on October 27, 1965.

During the business meeting the following officers were elected: Mrs. Helen M. Ray, Chairman; Mary Orren, Belmont, Vice-Chairman; and Mrs. Elizabeth A. Byrd, Durham, Secretary.

Following the business meeting and luncheon, Dr. Stratton Story, Surgeon and Chief of Staff at Johnston Memorial Hospital, Smithfield, spoke on "Surgical Aspects of Hearing."

The Spring Workshop was held at the Jack Tar Hotel in Durham, on Wednesday, April 20, 1966.

The Workshop topicsfor the morning sessions were: "Heart-Lung Machine," Dr. Frank M. Mauney, Duke University Medical Center; "Sterilization and Handling of Heart Valves," Mrs. Hattie Amigo, VA Hospital, Durham; and Mrs. Betty Hobeika, Duke University Medical Center; "Pacemakers and Heart Catheterization" by Barbara Bain, Supervisor of Cardiac Catheterization Lab at Duke University Medical Center.

The afternoon session included a lecture by Dr. Delford Stickel, Duke Hospital, Durham, on "Kidney Transplantation." Following this Mr. William L. Morris, III, Zimmer-Baxter Associates, Charlotte, North Carolina, discussed "Air Drills."

CONSTITUENT DISTRICT NURSES' ASSOCIATIONS

DISTRICT ONE
Mrs. Evelyn Sparks, Asheville, President

Number of Meetings of the District - 11
Average Attendance - 50
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 12

Membership - 246
Alumnae Associations - 3

Programs:

October 13, 1965	Registered Nurse Showcase, Uniform Center, Asheville - Mrs. J. Farnham
November 10, 1965	Demonstration of Christmas Wrappings (Ivey's, Asheville) - Mrs. Clara Fletcher
December 8, 1965	Christmas Party and Annual Election of Officers
January 12, 1966	"Diversification of Investments" - Mrs. Dixie Mott, Counselor
February 9, 1966	"The Patient in the Community" - Mrs. Nedra Kincannon, North Carolina Board of Health
March 9, 1966	Resume of District Officers' Workshop - Mary E. Lutz, Evelyn Sparks, Eunice Seaborn, and Ella Williams
April 13, 1966	"Civil Defense - Buncombe County" - Nora Gunter, Civil Defense Director
May 11, 1966	"Proposed Changes in ANA Bylaws" - Helen Peeler, NCSNA Staff
June 8, 1966	"Legal Aspects of Nursing" - William C. Moore, Attorney
August 10, 1966	Pre-convention Planning, NCSNA and District - Business Discussion
September 14, 1966	Dinner Meeting, "Medicare" (Open to Hospital Directors and Health Agency Personnel) - Mr. Douglas Richard, Mrs. Margaret Keller, Sister Mary de Chantel

Established Sections:

EACT and NSA	Mrs. Jean Philp, 106 Kingsgate Road, Asheville, Chairman
General Duty and Head Nurse	Mrs. Rubye Mallory, Christ School Road, Arden, Chairman
Private Duty	Mrs. Marie Ebbesen, 63 Madeline Avenue, West Asheville, Chairman
Public Health	Mrs. Laura L. Boone, F-14 Beverly Apartment, Asheville, Chairman

Alumnae Associations:

Memorial Mission	Frieda Bailey Roberts, 118 1/2 Pennsylvania Avenue, West Asheville, President
Meriweather Hospital	Raven P. Noland, 11 Arden Road, Asheville, President
Mountain Sanitarium and Hospital	Maeona Schmick, P. O. Box 97, Skyland, President

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

Individual nurses and as representatives of their various organizations have stressed membership in and support of their professional organizations. Appeals to hospital administrators and heads of personnel departments have borne results. Senior students and new graduates, also, other nonmembers are contacted and urged to become members.

To aid in professional growth and to further the understanding of members of the District, all members were asked to study the ANA Position Paper on Educational Preparation of Nursing for Practitioners of Nursing. The Paper was discussed at the May meeting.

Guidelines for Nursing Education in North Carolina was discussed at a meeting in June, 1965, and a panel discussion followed the presentation. The 100 nurses in attendance were given copies of the publication.

ANA Statement of Standards for Organized Nursing Service has also been studied in informal group sessions as well as the Guide for Professional Nursing Practice. The Professional Practice Committee has been active in this District.

Five hospitals have retirement plans for nurses in addition to Social Security coverage. One hospital has not adopted the 40-hour, five-day week.

A chart shows limited information on the personnel policies of fifteen hospitals in this District. Primarily beginning salaries (for three types of positions) were listed for nurses.

Eleven hospitals in this District have disaster plans; interest is expressed in Civil Defense education; representatives from nursing sections attend Council meetings and three are officers of the Council on Civil Defense.

Through increased effort on the part of the Public Relations Committee (Mrs. Marge Burge handling publicity) the District has seen an improvement in radio, television, and newspaper coverage of activities. Also, participation in community programs and projects, by members, has increased.

Members of the District have been active in recruitment of nurse students through individual and group contacts, at Open House Sessions, Health Career programs, offering assistance to vocational counselors and in other ways.

A committee was appointed and is now investigating the feasibility of and the availability of facilities and funds for the establishment of a District Headquarters Office and the employment of much needed secretarial help to assist with records, preparation of bulletin and necessary correspondence.

The resolutions of the recently appointed Bulletin Committee were adopted by the membership and a regularly published District Bulletin is about to be initiated as an added service to the membership.

The sum of $150 was budgeted for Student Nurse Scholarship funds to be awarded at the discretion of the Board of Directors.

The PC&PS Committee, chaired by Mrs. Jean Philp, has been successful in contacting several inactive nurses through newspaper appeal, personal contacts and referrals from active nurses in the District. Refresher courses for inactive nurses are now being conducted at Memorial Mission Hospital, Asheville. Much interest

has been demonstrated and results of the initial courses gratifying.

In keeping with the recommendations of the Registry Committee the Private Duty Section has elected to provide a series of refresher or educational programs or lectures through the facilities of the Buncombe County Technical Institute. Mrs. Ruth Geddings, Practical Nurse Education, is assisting in the planning and execution of the Private Duty Refresher Program. The PC&PS Committee has offered assistance in the restatement and clarification of the Rules and Regulations of the Registry in order to assist the Private Duty nurses in becoming more militant in control of their practitioners.

The Board of Directors voted to go on record in supporting and assisting the Private Duty Nurses in their educational endeavor and in clarifying the control of members through the organ of the Rules and Regulations of the Registry, but it believes that the salary of the Private Duty nurse be divorced from these issues.

The Private Duty rate will be increased November 1 from $18 to $20 per 8-hour day.

The District is again attempting to combine the registries of the Registered Nurses and the Licensed Practical Nurses.

Approximately 30 members of District attended NCSNA Convention in Durham in 1965; three members attended ANA Convention in San Francisco. Several members have attended ANA Conferences, Medical Society Conferences, Medical Society Conferences on Medicare and other health programs as well as Nursing Programs throughout the state.

The Cheer Committee has sent notes to members who were ill or bereaved. Christmas Greetings and gifts were provided for members who were ill or otherwise incapacitated. Improved Public Relations have resulted from a more concerted effort in this endeavor.

The Bylaws of the District were revised in order to promote smoother operation of the organization.

A study reveals that there are at least fourteen inactive nurses residing in this District.

The District has lost four nurses through death the past year, two of whom were past presidents of the District.

There is one honorary member - Mrs. Maude Morgan.

Financial Status of District:

The September 1, 1966, balance is as follows:

Checking Account----------	$ 785.29
Savings Account----------	1,002.45
Total Assets----------	1,787.74

Jean M. Philp, Chairman of the Professional Counseling and Placement Service reports a membership of five members. Three regular meetings were held and one special meeting--the latter with Helen Peeler as speaker.

Accomplishments are as follows:

Literature and applications regarding PC&PS were distributed to 19 registered nurses. Local agencies were encouraged to utilize this media for obtaining nurses; and private duty and other nurses were encouraged to use these services. Position vacancies are referred to Helen Peeler of State PC&PS.

This group supported the Refresher Course on Continuing Education, offered at Memorial Mission Hospital.

EACT - NSA Sections of District One - Mrs. Jean Philp, Chairman:

EACT and NSA combined sections of District One has no progress report for the year.

General Duty - Head Nurse Sections of District One - Mrs. Rubye Mallory Chairman:

The total membership is seventy-five.

This Section is being reactivated. An organizational dinner meeting was held in April, 1966, at which time officers were elected and plans were made for subsequent meetings and programs for the year. Stimulating and informative programs and social activities are being planned.

Three general duty members attended the ANA Convention; Mrs. Evelyn Sparks attended the ANA Conference on Quality Nursing Care; general duty nurses have attended classes, workshops and other meetings held in the state on a variety of subjects.

The prime project of the Section is to stimulate interest and better attendance for meetings on the district and the state levels.

We must increase our membership to retain our identity and representation in our state and national organization.

Private Duty Section of District One - Mrs. Marie Ebbesen, Chairman:

The Private Duty Section of District One has a total of fifty-six members and had eleven regular meetings with average attendance usually bigger than that of other sections.

Directors of Memorial Mission and St. Josephs Hospitals were our guests in March and April and discussed hospital policies and goals.

Mrs. Evelyn Sparks, District One President, and Mrs. Ruth Geddings, Supervisor of Practical Nurses of The Asheville Buncombe Technical Institute met with members at September meeting to help plan an educational program of current nursing procedures and techniques. Classes will start in October, with twelve, two hour, once a week sessions.

Registry dues were increased.

The Registrar was given a monthly raise of $50 in June.

Private Duty rates will be increased November 1 from $18 to $20.

One member attended Panel Discussion on Medicare and The Cardiac Patient in Raleigh.

Private Duty Chairman was sent as delegate to NCSNA Convention in October, 1965.

Christmas Party in December and Picnic in July with good attendance. Mrs. Sparks, District President, was guest at both of these meetings.

Public Health Section of District One - Mrs. Laura L. Boone, Chairman:

The Public Health Section is composed of twenty-four members who meet usually at the Buncombe County Health Department. These meetings were concerned with current health problems; much time and discussion being devoted to "Medicare" and our responsibility in answering the challanges of the new program.

A two-week survey was done in February to determine how well the time of the personnel was utilized. In considering specific duties, our study revealed that a great deal of our on-duty hours are spent in the schools. We have concluded that our time is well utilized and no drastic schedule changes are needed.

A two-month In-service Program, conducted by Mr. Roberts and Mr. Brandberg, physio-therapist, has aided in our preparation for care of the aged Medicare patients.

Home Visits in the Medicare Program were started in July and we have found that the refresher course has been very beneficial. Thus far we have not seen our work-load increased greatly. We are not using any auxiliary personnel at present, though our future needs cannot be accurately determined as yet.

On September 25, Health Department Nurses assisted other Medical and Nursing Personnel in a mass Measle Immunization Program in ten schools located throughout Buncombe County.

We were represented by Dorothy McCracken at the ANA Conference on Quality Nursing Care in Washington, D. C. in November, 1965. Members of our staff have attended meetings for nurses in the State Nurses' Association and Public Health throughout the year.

DISTRICT TWO

Mrs. Wery C. Bennett, Valdese, President

Number of Meetings of District - 10
Average Attendance - 14
Number of Board of Directors meetings - 10

Membership - 57
Alumnae Associations - 2

Programs, Topics, and Speakers:

October 7, 1965	Reports by members who attended Workshops--Mrs. Lena Cloninger, Mrs. Jeanette Wilson, Mrs. Mary Greene, and Peggy Stubbs
November 4, 1965	"Mongolism and Chromosome Research"- Dr. James Thomas
December 2, 1965	Christmas Banquet
January 6, 1966	"Report on the Nurse Practice Act"- Mrs. Wery Bennett
February 3, 1966	
March 3, 1966	"Legal Aspects of Nursing" - Mrs. Wery Bennett
April 5, 1966	White Elephant Sale
May 5, 1966	ANA Film - "Nurses Who Belong"
June 2, 1966	"The Appalachian Bill"- Explained by Frances Farthing
September 1, 1966	"Cobalt 60" - Lecture by Dr. Emmett White

Established Sections:

EACT	Mrs. Ann Blevins, Community Memorial Hospital, Banner Elk
General Duty and Head Nurse	Mrs. Hazel McNeely, 628 Miller Avenue, Marion
NSA	Mrs. Mary T. Greene, Box 107, Broughton Hospital, Morganton
Occupational Health	Mrs. Diora Westmoreland, 220 South Main Street, Marion
Private Duty	Mrs. Clara Young, Box 593, Marion
Public Health	Mrs. Alice K. Monroe, Burke County Health Department, Morganton

Alumnae Associations:

Grace Hospital	Betty M. Smith, Grace Hospital, Morganton, President
Rutherford Hospital	Ardelle Robinson, Rutherford Hospital, Rutherfordton, President

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

New graduates of schools of nursing and other non-member nurses were invited to attend meetings.

A Guide to Professional Nursing Practice was reviewed by the President. A stimulating discussion ensued. Other current publications in nursing were referred to individual members for study, but were not discussed at meetings of the District.

Two hospitals have retirement plans for nurses in addition to Social Security.

One hospital has not adopted the 40-hour, five-day week.

Personnel policies for nurses are available from three hospitals-salary schedules are not included.

The District has, this year, lost its one honorary member through death.

The financial status of the District is reported in fair condition.

DISTRICT THREE
Jeanette Quinn, Clemmons, President

Number of Meetings of District - 10
Average Attendance - 55
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 10

Membership - 369
Alumnae Associations - 4

Programs:

October 14, 1965	"Project Tuberculosis" - Dr. James Finger and Nurse Panel
November 11, 1965	Convention Reports - Members attending Convention Annual Business Meeting - Jeanette Quinn in charge
December 9, 1965	Social
January 13, 1966	"The Patient Suffering From a Stroke" - Panel of Doctors, Social Workers, and Physical Therapist
February 10, 1966	"Mouth-to-Mouth Resuscitation Closed-Cardiac Massage" - Dr. Leroy Crandall Film - "The Pulse of Life"
March 10, 1966	"The New Nurse Practice Act" - Carrie Spurgeon
April 14, 1966	"The ANA Structure" - Mrs. Marie B. Noell
May 12, 1966	"Medicare" - Barbara Garland
June 9, 1966	Business and Discussion of Convention
September 8, 1966	Business and Reports of National Convention by members attending

Established Sections:

EACT	Joyce Warren, 1206 West 4th Street, Winston-Salem, Chairman
General Duty	Mrs. Maude Guthrie, 2517 Stockton Street, Winston-Salem, Chairman
Head Nurse	Mary Van Poole, 440 Irving Street, Winston-Salem, Chairman
NSA	Myrtle Barnette, Forsyth Memorial Hospital, Winston-Salem, Chairman
Private Duty	Mrs. Ruth Kennedy, Route 1, Niblick Drive, Pfafftown, Chairman
Public Health	Mrs. Peggy Lemon, 388 Barnes Road, Box 15, Winston-Salem, Chairman

Alumnae Associations:

Martin Memorial	Mrs. Naomi Slate, 1313 Jessup Place, Mount Airy, President
N. C. Baptist	Mrs. Linda Crouse, 1507 South Hawthorne, Winston-Salem, President
Forsyth Memorial	Mrs. Jeannette Alexander, 207 Cascade Avenue, Winston-Salem, President
Kate Bitting Reynolds Memorial	

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

A campaign for membership is being planned for the coming months.

The ANA Statements of Standards for Organized Nursing Service, ANA Position Paper on Educational Preparation for Practitioners of Nursing, and other pertinent materials have not been studied by the District. A program on "Guidelines for Nursing Education in North Carolina" was the subject of discussion in June.

Economic Security:

Three hospitals have a retirement plan for nurses in addition to Social Security.

The District actively participates in Youth Career-o-Rama for attracting qualified young people into the field of nursing.

Financial Status of District:

Balance in Bank is $1,469.31.

Honorary members of the District One - Miss Edna Heinzerling, 118 Trade Street, Statesville, North Carolina.

EACT and NSA Sections of District Three - Joyce Warren and Myrtle Barnette, Chairmen:

Members have participated in District activities, served on committees and given support to projects. They have also encouraged membership in the ANA; made literature available to prospective members; and, have been very active in convention preparation.

General Duty and Head Nurse Sections of District Three - Mrs. Maude Guthrie and Mary Van Poole, Chairmen:

Four joint meetings were held. Effort has been exerted to attract more members who will exchange ideas and share in problems common to these groups.

Attendance at meetings has been poor and as yet there is no planned program. Plans are to continue the effort of gaining membership, attendance, and participation.

Private Duty Section of District Three - Mrs. Ruth Kennedy, Chairman:

Membership of this Committee is 156; average attendance is 35 at eight meetings.

Programs:

Hand writing analyst
Mouth-to-mouth resuscitation and heart massage
Medicare program for District Three
Care of the Patient Suffering a Stroke
Blood Dyscrasias and Burns

Members attended:

NCSNA Workshop for District Officers in Statesville
Conference on Medicare
ANA Convention - one as a delegate
NCSNA Convention (12 members attended)
North Carolina League for Nursing Annual Meeting
Clinical Conference on "The Nurses Role in Quality Patient Care"

Public Health Section of District Three - Mrs. Peggy Lemon, Chairman; Mrs. Dale Spaugh, Secretary:

The officers of this Section for 1966 are as follows: Chairman, Mrs. Peggy Lemon; First Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Ruth Harris; Secretary, Mrs. Dale Spaugh; Treasurer, Mrs. Ida Staplefoote; and members of Nominating Committee: Carol Elledge, Chairman; Mrs. Naomi Peoples, and Mrs. Frances Hutchison.

Meetings for the year were as follows:

January	Pot Luck Supper - Business Meeting
March	Dr. Joyce Reynolds spoke on "Examining the New Born"
May	Mr. Rodney Ligon spoke on "Legal Aspects of Child Abuse and Neglect" The film, "The Neglected One," was shown.
July	Business Meeting
August	Business Meeting - Delegates nominated for NCSNA Convention

DISTRICT FOUR
Mrs. Elizabeth Padgett, Statesville, President

Number of Meetings of District - 9
Average Attendance - 25
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 7
Membership - 68
Alumnae Associations - 3

Programs, Dates, Topics, and Speakers are as follows:

October, 1965 "Membership" - by Mrs. Lucy Summers and Mrs. Shirley Kunkle

November, 1965	Election of New Officers
December, 1965	Christmas Dinner
January, 1966	P. K. U. Tests - Discussed by Dr. Durham Lewis, Pediatrician
February, 1966	"Review of Bylaws" - by Mrs. Lucy Summers, Chairman, Bylaws Committee
March, 1966	"ANA Position Paper" - Mrs. Ruth F. Peters
April, 1966	"Why the New Graduate Doesn't Belong" - by Ronnie Small
May, 1966	Annual Picnic - Senior Students as Guests - Hostessed by Mrs. Coy James
September, 1966	Hypnosis in Obstetrics

Established Sections:

EACT	Frances Sparger, 704 Cherry Street, Statesville, Chairman
General Duty	Mrs. Shirley Kunkle, 540 North Center Street, Statesville, Chairman
Head Nurse	Mrs. Hannah Padgett, Box 36, Cleveland, Chairman
NSA	Mrs. Elizabeth James, Route 7, Box 537, Statesville, Chairman
Private Duty	Mrs. Nora White, 165 Bost Street, Statesville, Chairman

Alumnae Associations:

H. F. Long Hospital	Dorothy I. Bryant, Statesville, President
Lowrance Hospital	Norma Graham, Mooresville, President
Davis Hospital	Kay Miller, 520 Carolina Avenue, North, Statesville, President

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

A membership drive was promoted which included a demonstration of the ANA Train and visits were made to special agencies. By means of a benefit bridge, $81 was realized.

The members studied the ANA Position Paper; and Mrs. Ruth Peters, President of NCSNA, spoke on the subject of "The Paper." Also, members studied Guidelines for Nursing Education in North Carolina. The President has attended meetings where this subject was discussed and has brought a fresh view point in communicating with district members on the purpose and need for change. Members also have studied ANA Statement of Standards for Organized Nursing Service. Printed materials were collected and distributed from a short-term course at the University of North Carolina attended by the President. Both questions and answers were discussed at several meetings. Reports were given from meetings where experts in this field had collaborated in an attempt to determine the most desirable types of organized nursing service.

Also, members of this District have studied Professional Nursing Practice - how it has changed and underlying reasons for change.

Economic Security:

All hospitals in this District have adopted the 40-hour, five day week for nurses; none has a retirement plan for nurses in addition to Social Security. Current personnel policies for professional nurses in hospitals of this District are not obtainable.

Nursing in National Defense:

Staff nurses have attended National Defense Workshops. Locally, Iredell Memorial Hospital has had disaster drills.

Graduate nurses of the District have assisted in recruitment at Career Days in high schools.

Business and Professional Women's Organizations have sponsored a "Good Health Program" in which nurses have participated as well as in activities of National Hospital Week.

Newspaper coverage of a variety of meaningful nurse activities has been good.

Financial Status of District:

The Treasury has in it a balance of $236.58.

In 1965, Miss Edna Heinzerling was made an honorary member of this District.

DISTRICT FIVE

Mrs. Alma McCracken, Charlotte, President

Number of Meetings of District - 10
Average Attendance - 55
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 11

Membership - 409
Alumnae Associations - 5

Programs:

October, 1965	"Glaucoma and Treatment of" - Melvin D. Childers, M. D., Optholmalogist
November, 1965	Musical Program and Short Skit - by students from Mercy, Presbyterian, and Memorial Hospitals
December, 1965	"Christmas - Quality of Nursing" - by Mrs. Edith Brocker, Professor of Nursing
January, 1966	"Flight of Gemini 4" films - by Mildred Freeman, Program Chairman (UNC-C)
February, 1966	"Social Security and Medicare" - by M. W. K. Hubbell, Manager, Social Security Office
March, 1966	"Care and Treatment of Burns" - C. Hal Chaplan, M. D.

April, 1966	"Nursing Assessment of Patients Needs" - Elinor Caddell, Associate Professor of Nursing, UNC-C
May, 1966	"Parallel Nursing Education" - Mrs. Julia Cook, Director, In-service Education, Memorial Hospital
June, 1966	Picnic and Social Hour
September, 1966	ANA Convention Reports - Panel Leader, Sister Mary Elizabeth McNally, EACT, Mercy Hospital

Established Sections:

Private Duty	Annie Lucy Dameron, 1136 Queens Road, Charlotte, Chairman
Public Health, Office Nurse, and Occupational Health	Sister Mary Theresa Francis, 1029 Arosa Avenue, Charlotte, Chairman

Alumnae Associations:

Mercy Hospital	Mrs. Mary Lou Short, 3100 Cambridge Road, Charlotte, President
Good Samaritan	Mrs. Carolyn Wyche, 1713 Oaklawn Avenue, Charlotte, President
St. Peters	Mrs. Isabel Davis, 2727 Rothwood Drive, Charlotte, President
Charlotte Memorial	Loree Fincher, 1540 Garden Terrace, Charlotte, President
Presbyterian Hospital	Mrs. Rachel Yandell, 6335 Wilson Grove Road, Charlotte, President

Progress Report of District Activities:

Membership has been promoted constantly throughout the year--posters, ANA pamphlets, and other printed materials--also, through letters to new graduates by the Membership Committee and by personal solicitation.

The ANA Position Paper and Guidelines for Nursing Education in North Carolina will be discussed at fall meetings. A program was presented by Elinor Caddell on "Assessment of Patients Needs."

Economic Security:

Private Duty Nurses fees have been increased to $20.

Regarding personnel policies, hospitals are in a period of transition and policies have not been brought up-to-date. There are changes in salaries and other areas of policy development.

All of Charlotte Hospitals have adopted the 40-hour, five-day week.

Members of the District participate and cooperate with the American Red Cross by giving blood, teaching classes for mothers, also teaching in safety programs.

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Newspaper coverage of meetings and other activities regarding the District has been very good. Members take an active part in civic clubs and often appear before clubs and P.T.A. groups to discuss nursing in its various aspects. One member of the District is on the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Multiple Sclerosis Chapter, assisting with meetings. The need for more and better prepared nurses, too, is kept before the public through recruiting means--Career Day Program, Health Career Club and other ways.

Committees of the District--Hospitality, Program, Membership, and others have made great contributions.

Deceased members of this District number three during the past year.

Financial Status of District:

Finances are as follows:

Balance , September 1, 1966, Checking Account-------$740.00
Mutual Building and Loan: 13 shares
Home Federal---------- 100.00

The District has one honorary member: Miss Josephine K. Kerr, 1130 Buchanan Street, Charlotte, North Carolina. The honor was conferred in 1963.

Private Duty Section of District Five - Annie Dameron, Chairman:

Six business and two dinner meetings were held and several social meetings were held during the summer months.

Fees for the service of the private duty nurse were increased from $18 to $20 for 8 hours of service. This section now has 115 members.

Public Health, Office Nurse, and Occupation Health Section of District Five - Sister Mary Theresa Francis, Chairman:

Other officers are as follows: First Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Patsy Martin; Second Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Pearl Maxwell; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Nancy Odham; and members of the Nominating Committee: Mrs. Sybil Berry, Chairman; Mrs. Corinna Tallent, Mrs. Rosena Costner.

In April funds were raised to send a representative to the ANA National Convention in California. Both projects--bridge benefit and sale of address stickers--were quite successful.

Dr. James Jeckle, USPHS Coordinator, working with Gaston County Health Department on an Environmental Health Survey, presented the Section's educational program for the year--subjects were immunizations, tuberculosis, and applied epidemiology.

1966 Membership: Public Health, 40; Office Nurses, 13; and Occupational Health, 5 giving total of 58.

DISTRICT SIX
Winnie M. Warren, Concord, President

Number of Meetings of the District - 10
Average Attendance - 19
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 10

Membership - 131
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

October 12, 1965	Study of Guidelines
November 11, 1965	Election of Officers
December 9, 1965	Christmas Program
January 13, 1966	Discussion of Nurse Practice Act
February 10, 1966	Devoted Discussion to LPN Program
March 10, 1966	Devoted to Discussion of Associate Degree Program
April 14, 1966	Devoted to Discussion of Diploma Program
May 12, 1966	Devoted to Discussion of Baccalaureate Program
June 9, 1966	Communications and Human Relationships
September 8, 1966	Business Meeting

Established Sections:

Private Duty	Mrs. Irene Carson, 48 Hillside Avenue, S.W. Concord, Chairman

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

By way of promoting membership, materials have been distributed to all hospitals, to members at District Meetings, and the subject is frequently stressed in a variety of ways.

Under the heading of Economic Security, one hospital has a retirement plan for nurses in addition to Social Security; all hospitals have adopted the 40-hour five-day week and one hospital has submitted copies of its current personnel policies.

Special effort has been exerted to obtain good newspaper coverage, results--four newspapers have carried pertinent information regarding subjects discussed at meetings. Many nurse members contribute to public relations through civic clubs, church and P.T.A. membership; and, in attempting to interest qualified young persons in the field of nursing. A nurse in each area of the District participated in "College Day" and in "Health Careers" activities.

Financial Status of District:

Report of treasury--balance--$1,163.68.

DISTRICT SEVEN
Mrs. Joy Y. Woods, Draper, President

Number of District Meetings - 10
Average Attendance - 20
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 2

Membership - 47
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

October 5, 1965	Dr. Robert Daniels discussed "Oral Hygiene"
November 2, 1965	Reports were given by delegates attending the Convention of NCSNA
December 14, 1965	Installation of Officers and Banquet
January 4, 1966	Rev. Roger Westmoreland discussed "Total Patient Concept and Care"
February 8, 1966	Dr. Ernest Reynolds lectured on "Diabetes"
March 1, 1966	Dr. Nick Sacrinty reported on "Pulmonary Emphysema"
April 5, 1966	Judy Williams discussed "Pharmacology and Posology of Antibiotic Drugs"
May 3, 1966	Dr. Maurice Couturier lectured on "Carcinoma of the Cervix"
June 7, 1966	Annual Picnic
September 6, 1966	Dr. Neil De Stefano's subject was "Carcinoma of the Thyroid"

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

The District sponsored "Health Career Night" in Leaksville, North Carolina. Representatives from various health career organizations spoke to high school students. An attempt was made to raise money for scholarships for nurse students. Through various fund raising projects, a sum of $300 has been raised and established as a scholarship to assist young women qualified and interested in nursing.

Financial Status of District:

As of September 8, 1966, the Treasury reports a balance of $123.78.

DISTRICT EIGHT

Mrs. Catherine P. Layton, Greensboro, President

Number of Meetings of District - 10
Average Attendance - 45
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 12
Membership - 202
Alumnae Associations - 3

Programs, Topics, and Speakers:

October, 1965	Business Meeting
November, 1965	Annual Meeting and Convention Reports
December, 1965	Christmas Social
January, 1966	"Oxygen Therapy and Use of Byrd Respirator" presented by Jack Dempsey (Southern Oxygen Company)
February, 1966	"Aphasia Following Strokes" discussed by Dr. Nanella, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, Department of Speech and Hearing
March, 1966	Our Registrar
April, 1966	"Open Heart Surgery" by Dr. James Lee
May, 1966	"Trends in Nursing" discussed by University of North Carolina, Greensboro, Nursing Students

September, 1966	"Medicare" - Panel: Charles Meyers, Office of Social Security; E. J. Bond, Greensboro Convalescent Center; Mrs. Ann Samuel, Home Care Services; and Jan Hensley, Business Manager, Wesley Long Hospital

Established Sections:

EACT	Mrs. Georgianna Stamps, 1901 Carlton Avenue, Greensboro, Chairman
Private Duty	Mrs. Norene Everette, 2300 Wachovia Drive, Greensboro, Chairman
Public Health	Mrs. Hannah Matthews, 1408 Dan's Road, Greensboro, Chairman

Alumnae Associations:

St. Leo's School of Nursing	Mrs. Ruby Hinshaw, 3560 Cherry Lane, Greensboro, President
L. Richardson Hospital School of Nursing	Annie Gilmer, 131 Obermeyer Street, Greensboro, President
A and T School of Nursing	John Clinton Smith, 2118 Everette Street, Greensboro, President

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

Activities relating to membership promotion and recruitment include talks and discussions by the District President to senior nurse students at University of North Carolina, Greensboro; also, to other college and high school students; to the nurse staff at Cone Hospital; and to St. Leo's Alumnae Association.

All senior nurse students were invited to attend a district meeting and were given special recognition. In addition, the District Association entertained all senior nurse student in the area.

Mrs. Atha Howell, a District member, served as area consultant for nurse recruitment.

Plans are now underway for a District Workshop on Cardiac Diseases.

The District membership discussed the ANA Position Paper on Educational Preparation for Practitioners of Nursing at the May, 1966, meeting.

Each member was asked to study other current and pertinent materials including ANA Statement of Standards for Organized Nursing Service and Professional Nursing Practice.

Financial Status:

The Treasurer reports a balance of: $295.13 in Checking Account and $462.94 in a Savings Account.

Deceased members during the past year in this District number four.

EACT Section of District Eight - Mrs. Georgianna Stamps, Chairman:

This Section held six meetings this year, all of which were dinner meetings held in the Conference Dining Room at Moses H. Cone Memorial Hospital.

Program sessions consisted of reports given by members who attended workshops and conferences during the year. Topics discussed were: Multiple assignment in Patient Care, Medicare, and ANA Position Paper in Nursing Education.

Attendance at the meetings ranged from 8 - 12 nurses.

Officers of this section are as follows: Mrs. Georgiana Stamps, Chairman; Mrs. Iantha Phillips, First Vice-Chairman; Mrs. Ruth Dunn, Second Vice-Chairman; Mrs. Carrie Walden, Secretary; and Mrs. Helen Belton, Member-at-Large

Private Duty Section of District Eight - Mrs. Norene Everette, Chairman:

This section held five regular meetings and two called meetings during the year.

A new Registrar, Mrs. Ruth Newby, was employed.

Public Health Section of District Eight - Mrs. Hannah Matthews, Chairman:

There are forty members in this Section. The average attendance at meetings was thirty-four. Members participated individually and as groups in institutes, workshops, and attended meetings of the North Carolina Public Health Association and the Southern Branch of the American Public Health Association.

DISTRICT NINE

Mrs. Betty E. Saraceno, Lexington, President

Number of Meetings of District - 8
Average Attendance - 31
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 8

Membership - 138
Alumnae Associations - 1

Programs:

October, 1965	"New Trends in Maternity Nursing" (Film and Discussion) - Mrs. Mary Clayton, Obstectical Supervisor, High Point Memorial Hospital
November, 1965	Election of Officers - Reports of NCSNA Convention -"Membership Promotion" report given by Mrs. Carolyn Greene, Public Health Nurse, High Point, North Carolina, whose clever presentation grouped members of ANA by comparing different members to certain Sections of a train
December, 1965	Christmas skit presented by members of the District
January, 1966	Rev. Gene Beck, Minister, Pilgram Lutheran Church, Lexington, North Carolina, talked on the subject, "The Nurse - Minister Relationship."
March, 1966	Medicare was discussed by Mr. Taft McCoy, Social Security Representative, Salisbury, North Carolina
April, 1966	Mrs. Mary Hooks, Operating Room Supervisor, Lexington Memorial Hospital, discussed "Treatment of Parkinson's Disease."

May, 1966	Mrs. Ruth F. Peters, President, NCSNA, presented and discussed the "Proposed Plan for Functions and Structure of the ANA."
September, 1966	Election of Delegates and Business Meeting which included discussion on the feasibility of biennial conventions of NCSNA - Mrs. Betty Saraceno, President of the District presided.

Established Sections:

Private Duty	Mrs. Margaret Kearns, 315 East Lexington Avenue, High Point, Chairman

Alumnae Association:

High Point Memorial Hospital	Mrs. Geraldine Farlow, c/o Infant Child Clinic, Quaker Lane, High Point, Chairman

Progress Reports of District Association Activities:

One District meeting was devoted to membership promotion. Activities in this area were primarily centered on personal, individual contact. One hospital has 100 per cent membership. The President and other members attended the Membership Workshop held in Burlington.

Special current publications (ANA Position Paper, ANA Statement of Standards for Organized Nursing Service, and the Guide Relating to Professional Nursing Practice) have been discussed at regular meetings throughout the year.

Economic Security:

There are no hospitals in this District which offer retirement plans in addition to Social Security Coverage, and none which has not adopted the 40-hour, five-day week.

Copies of current personnel policies are available from three hospitals in the District.

Other Activities:

Much emphasis is placed on preparedness for disaster by employees of two hospitals in this District. Current detailed plans are put into practice periodically.

Public relation channels are widely used in this District--the press, civic, and other community organizations.

Many District members actively participate in recruitment of students through Career Day programs, through high schools, and through civic organizations.

Financial Status of District:

The treasurer reports a balance of $285.72 as of August 30, 1966.

This District reports the death of one of its members during the past year.

DISTRICT TEN
Paulyne Kenney, Burlington, President

Number of Meetings of District - 9
Average Attendance - 16
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 3

Membership - 49
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs, Topics, and Speakers:

October 12, 1965	"Care of the Feet" - Lecture by Dr. James A. Davis, Podiatrist; Election of Officers
November 9, 1965	Business Meeting; Appointment of Standing Committees
December 3, 1965	"The Meaning of Christmas" - presentation by Paulyne Kenney, President
January 11, 1966	"Inhalation Therapy and Respiratory Diseases" Lecture by Dr. Albert Howard, Anesthesiologist
February 8, 1966	Bond Issue of Alamance County: To Provide Better Health and Sanitation Facilities - Discussed by Mr. Keith Carroll
March 8, 1966	"Medical Needs in Brazil" - Lecture and Slides - Rev. Thomas Wolfe
April 12, 1966	"The Two-Year Associate Degree Program in Nursing" - Lecture and Movies - Louise Bryant
May 10, 1966	Monologue: "Things Can Be Made Better" - Mr. Harry A. Doll, Western Electric Company
June, 1966	Picnic: Family and Friends of District Members
September 13, 1966	A Convention Report, Mrs. Elizabeth Harviel; Membership Express Report, Mrs. Wilma Berry, Mrs. Doris Perry, Patricia A. Harrington, and Mrs. Lucile Sorrell; 10 members to NCSNA Convention in 1965; 1 member to ANA Convention; Representatives to Workshops, Medicare, and other meetings; 5 members to Workshop for Membership Promotion

Established Sections:

Office Nurse	Mrs. Carolyn Allred, 602 Pine Street, Burlington, Chairman
Private Duty	Mrs. Elizabeth Harviel, 2643 Trail 5, Burlington, Chairman
Public Health	Mrs. Mildred Hurst, Route 2, Graham, Chairman

Progress of District Association Activities:

Members of the Membership Committee assumed responsibility for making contact with co-workers and others to stimulate membership in ANA.

Five members of the District spoke to civic clubs, two spoke on Health to high school students, members of two local health clubs accepted an invitation to visit the hospital and nurses participated in Career Day Programs. There has been good newspaper coverage on the above and on other activities.

District members have assisted in sponsoring a mental health program. Money has been raised through a bake sale and a benefit bridge.

A donation has been made to the Tuberculosis Association and assistance in the amount of $120 has been given to a nursing student.

The District has membership in the North Carolina Symphony Society.

Financial Status of District:

As of September 15, 1966, there is a balance of $642.89 in the Treasury.

During the past year the District has lost one member by death.

Public Health Section of District Ten - Mrs. Mildred Hurst, Chairman:

Meetings have been held once a month (exclusive of summer months) since March, 1966.

The March meeting consisted mainly of election of officers. They are as follows: Mrs. Mildred Hurst, Chairman; Mary Haith, Vice-Chairman; Jacqueline Pulling, Secretary; and Leona Wright, Assistant Secretary.

Discussion of the annual bake sale and benefit bridge was held and all encouraged to participate.

Members were urged to attend the Medicare program to be held at Durham, April 12, 1966.

Ideas and suggestions were solicited for the kinds of programs desired in order to promote greater professional growth.

DISTRICT ELEVEN

Mrs. Katherine B. Nuckolls, Chapel Hill, President

Number of Meetings of the District - 9
Average Attendance - 60
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 11

Membership - 468
Alumnae Associations - 4

Programs, Topics, Speakers:

September, 1965	"Report of the ICN - Mrs. Margaret Dolan
October, 1965	"The ICN and Communication" - Kay Gibson and Mary Belle Jones
November, 1965	Annual Banquet
December, 1965	"The Role of the Professional Nurse in Meeting Patient Needs" - Elizabeth Kemble
January, 1966	Discussion Groups on "Role of the Nurse"
February, 1966	"Proposed Plan for ANA Structure and Function" - Betty Eller
March, 1966	"How Can a Nurse Help Her Retarded Patients" - Jean Werst
April, 1966	Duke Symposium, "Facing Nursing Obligations for the Future," Eleanor Lambertsen
May, 1966	"Role of the Nurse in Accident Prevention" - Janice Westaby

Established Sections:

EACT	Margaret Brown, Route 2, Plantation Acres, Chapel Hill, Chairman

General Duty	Flora Smith, Westover Park Apartments, Durham, Chairman
NSA	Verna Sticht, 3134 Rowena Avenue, Durham, Chairman
Private Duty	Mrs. Irma Williams, 407 West Knox Avenue, Durham Chairman
Public Health	Ann Hansen, 504-A Dogwood Drive, Chapel Hill, Chairman

Alumnae Associations:

Duke University School of Nursing	Gayle Porter, Hillsborough, President
UNC School of Nursing	Nancy Ray, 3017 Banbury Road, Raleigh, President
Watts Hospital	Mildred Dodson, 2113 Woodrow Street, Durham, President
Lincoln Hospital	Mrs. P. W. McClane, President

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

In November an evening Workshop was held for nurses new to the District to acquaint them with the advantages of membership.

Courtesy membership cards and congratulatory letters were sent to all graduating seniors. Senior students were invited to attend all District meetings held during the spring semester, also copies of the newsletter were sent them. Few students attended.

One member, Shirley Callahan, attended a Conference on Medicare sponsored by the North Carolina Medical Society.

The District members as a group did not study the ANA Position Paper on Educational Preparation for Practitioners of Nursing; Guidelines for Nursing Education in North Carolina; the ANA Statement of Standards for Organized Nursing Service; or the Guide for Professional Nursing Practice.

TheRevisionof the Bylaws, undertaken in 1964-1965, was completed and adopted in October, 1965.

The Registry Committee reports as follows:

Mrs. Anna Painter was appointed Registrar following the resignation of Mrs. Ruth Jacokes in June.

Mrs. Anne Pressler was appointed assistant registrar to fill the vacancy left by Mrs. Jane Copley's resignation.

The Registry currently has 60 registered nurses and 162 licensed practical nurses on the roster. It is able to fill one-third of the calls for the registered nurse and one-half calls for the licensed practical nurse. Problems of

A Nursing Symposium on the Care of the Patient with/Bowel and Bladder Control was held under the joint sponsorship of the North Carolina Division of the American Cancer Society and this District. It was attended by 350 nurses. Membership in the Association was not a prerequisite for registration. This meeting afforded an excellent opportunity for membership promotion and for recruitment.

A report was not included in areas of Economic Security and of Disaster Nursing; however, three hospitals submitted partial personnel policies including salary scales.

The District has lost one member through death the past year.

Financial Status:

The financial status of the District is sound. Dues were increased in October from $3.00 to $5.00.

DISTRICT TWELVE
Mrs. Elizabeth B. Wilson, Hamlet, President

Number of Meetings of District - 9
Average Attendance - 53
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 6

Membership - 119
Alumnae Associations - 1

Programs:

October, 1965	Skit on Nursing by Practical Nurse Students
November, 1965	Reports of Convention by members attending and Election of Officers
December, 1965	Tour of St. Joseph's Hospital and Christmas Party
January, 1966	Presentation on Health, Education, and Welfare
February, 1966	"Latest Trends in Cardio-Vascular Surgery, (movies and slides), Dr. Staub
March, 1966	Business Meeting and Reports on Workshops by President, Secretary
April, 1966	Discussion on Medicare - District members were participants.
May, 1966	"Urological Problems" - presented by Dr. Gadd of Moore County Hospital
September, 1966	"African People" - discussed by Dr. Grier of Moore County Hospital

Established Sections:

Offices Nurses	Mrs. Emily W. Lawrence, Pine Bluff, Chairman
Operating Room Nurses	Mrs. Peggy Elliot, McCain, Chairman
Public Health Nurses	Mrs. Mavis T. McDonald, Carthage, Chairman

Alumnae Associations:

Hamlet Hospital School of Nursing	Mrs. Elizabeth Howell, 809 Jefferson Street, Hamlet, President

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

A "good, young, hard working, enthusiastic chairman" has stimulated membership promotion. The President visited each graduating class and invited them to attend District meetings. Each member of the District has been asked to be responsible for getting a new member.

Many members attended workshops.

The excellent printed material on nursing published in 1965--important and essential for the understanding of every nurse,will be studied the coming year. This year the ANA Position Paper on Educational Preparation for Practitioners of Nursing and Guidelines for Nursing Education in North Carolina were studied and discussed.

It is reported that one hospital has a retirement plan for nurses in addition to Social Security but that it is limited for retirement income.

One hospital has not adopted the 40-hour, five-day schedule for nurses.

Three hospitals submitted salary schedules, one of which included other detailed personnel policies. An additional hospital reported policies but omitted salaries.

Members of the District have spoken to civic, to youth and to "career" groups in an attempt to create a better understanding of nurses and nursing.

Financial Status:

The treasurer reports an approximate balance of $400.

DISTRICT THIRTEEN

Mrs. Elizabeth S. Mason, Raleigh, President

Number of Meetings of District - 10
Average Attendance - 40
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 10

Membership - 239
Alumnae Associations - 1

Programs:

October, 1965	A recorded lecture by Kenneth McFarland, Ph.D., guest lecturer for General Motors, subject - "Let's Sell Success"
November, 1965	Business Meeting, Election of Officers
December, 1965	Christmas dinner meeting at which Mrs. Marie B. Noell, R. N., Executive Director, North Carolina State Nurses' Association, was voted "Nurse of the Year." Officers (1966) were installed.
January, 1966	Nicholas Pediaditakis, M. D. explained purpose and activities of the Mental Health Center in Wake County
February, 1966	Father William Teff spoke on the subject of "Spiritual Responsibilities of the Nurse to the Patient"
March, 1966	A. N. Meyhandi, M. D. explained purpose and activities of the Mental Health Center in Wake County
April, 1966	John E. Privette, M. D. spoke on "Planned Parenthood."
May, 1966	Members toured the new health facility - Maria Parham Hospital, Henderson
June, 1966	District members in attendance reported on the ANA Convention.
September, 1966	Mary Wallace, R. N., discussed "Interaction of the Intensive Care Unit."

Established Sections:

Private Duty	Mrs. Lillian Roberts, 2224 Circle Drive, Raleigh, from January 1, 1966 to June 1, 1966--succeeded by Mrs. Hursie Stockstill, Route 7, Raleigh, from June 1, 1966 to November, 1966

Alumnae Associations:

Rex Hospital School of Nursing	Mrs. Meta Monteleon, 2719 Gordon Street, Raleigh, President

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

Activities relating to membership promotion include: Presentation of movie, "Nurses Who Belong;" a membership program for the 1966 graduating class of Rex Hospital was presented; committee's posters of "Membership Express" were displayed at the two-day workshop sponsored by the American Cancer Society. At this meeting all nurses present were given ANA membership literature and application blanks.

The Chairman of the Membership Program Committee and two other members attended NCSNA District Officers Workshop on February 11, 1966.

There has been good newspaper coverage of District activities, listing of 1966 elected officers, information regarding time, place and subjects to be discussed, increase in private duty nurses' fees and other items.

Another achievement is the increase in fees for private duty nurses to $20.00 for an eight-hour day.

Financial Status of District:

As of June 21, 1966, Savings Account $300.00
Balance on hand 458.88

Six former members of this District have passed away within the past year.

Private Duty Section of District Thirteen - Mrs. Lillian Roberts, Chairman, January 1, 1966 to June 1, 1966;and Mrs. Hursie Stockstill, June 1, 1966 to November, 1966, Chairman:

There has been good attendance at all meetings held throughout the year.

There are 54 registered nurses on the registry. A Committee has been appointed to study ways to cover the registry at all times. As a result, an Assistant Registrar was employed which made it possible to reduce the working hours of the Registrar.

In March members of this Section voted to increase the salary of the private duty nurse. This was approved by the District.

The Sunshine Committee of this Section has been active, sending flowers, gifts and cards to bereaved and sick nurses.

DISTRICT FOURTEEN

Mrs. Rowena N. Hooks, Fayetteville, President

Number of meetings of District - 10
Average Attendance - 30
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 10
Membership - 146
Alumnae Associations - 1

Programs, Topics, Speakers:

October 12, 1965 Election of Delegates to NCSNA

November 9, 1965	"Guidelines for Nursing Education in North Carolina" - Florence Schroeder
December 14, 1965	Christmas Dinner and Male Chorus
January 11, 1966	"Expanding Health Facilities in Cumberland County" - Mr. Frank Cerruzi
February 8, 1966	Film Strip: "Nurses Who Belong" (NSA Section)
March 8, 1966	"The Role of Women in Politics" - Senator N. H. McGeachy
April 12, 1966	Cumberland County Sheltered Workshop Program, Director, Mr. Milton Bass
May 10, 1966	"ANA Position Paper" - Mrs. Ruth F. Peters
June 14, 1966	"Multiple Roles of Women" - Mr. David Mustian, North Carolina State University
September 13, 1966	Report of ANA Convention; Election of Delegates to State Convention; Report of Membership meeting in Burlington, Mrs. Mary Bullock and Mrs. Ruth F. Peters

Established Sections:

EACT	Mrs. Matilda Gatewood, 1823 Stockton Street, Fayetteville, Chairman
General Duty	Mrs. Agnes Stevens, 1925 Sloan Avenue, Fayetteville, Chairman
NSA	Mrs. Mary Bullock, 117 Kirkland Drive, Fayetteville, Chairman
Private Duty	Mrs. Myrtle Bracey, 1611 Westlawn Avenue, Fayetteville, Chairman
Public Health	Mrs. Mary Jessup, 2522 McNeill Circle, Fayetteville, Chairman

Alumnae Associations:

Highsmith -Rainey Memorial Hospital	Mrs. W. E. Riddle, 118 Kirkland Drive, Fayetteville, President

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

Membership is promoted through hospital staff organizations and through other planned programs.

The Guide - Professional Nursing Practice was distributed widely to Boards and to nurses and others in hospitals.

The ANA Position Paper on Educational Preparation for Practitioners of Nursing was studied then discussed at a District meeting.

Hospital personnel policies for nurses were not available; however, a Compensation Schedule for all workers was received under Cumberland County Hospital Authority. This includes Cape Fear Valley and Highsmith-Rainey Memorial Hospitals.

Many members have been active in civic groups. Mrs. Ruth F. Peters, President of NCSNA, has made many speeches to civic groups and nurse students.

There has been excellent newspaper coverage of monthly meetings.

On September 18, 1966, seven hundred dollars in scholarships were awarded by the District to four nurse students entering a school of nursing. Nine other students have received scholarships in the past five years. Mrs. Edith B. Chance is Chairman of the Student Nurse Scholarship Loan Committee.

Financial Status:

A complete and detailed budget was prepared for the District. Balance in the Treasury is $683.32.

Private Duty Section of District Fourteen-- Mrs. Myrtle Bracey, Chairman:

Meetings were held bi-monthly with an average attendance of 12. Door prizes were given at each meeting. Interesting and educational programs were held. Donations were made to the Student Nurses' Scholarship Fund. Members have attended inservice programs at Womack Army Hospital.

DISTRICT FIFTEEN

Mrs. Vonnie M. Norment, Lumberton, President

Number of Meetings of District - 10
Average Attendance - 22
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 4
Membership - 89
Alumnae Associations - 1

Programs:

October, 1965	Mr. Bert Titus spoke on the subject of the "Use of Prosthetics"
November, 1965	Dinner meeting - Geigy Pharmaceutical Company as Host; After dinner speaker
December, 1965	Annual Meeting, Election of Officers
January, 1966	Miss Nunnely, Physiotherapist with State Board of Health discussed the subject of "Physiotherapy"
February, 1966	David McLean, Ph. D., Professor at St. Andrews College, discussed "African Witchcraft"
March, 1966	Mr. Henry Woodward explained, "Present Immunization Practices in North Carolina
April, 1966	Lecture by Dr. David Fort on "Intra Uterine Transfusions"
May, 1966	Skit - "History of Women in the Armed Forces" - by members of the Army Nurse Corps
June, 1966	Recreational Meeting
September, 1966	Dr. Nick Stratus discussed "The Role of the Nurse in Mental Health

Established Sections:

EACT	Dorothy O'Briant, Laurinburg, Chairman
Head Nurse	Effie Lee, Laurinburg, Chairman
NSA	Wilhelmina Johnson, Lumberton, Chairman
Office	Edna McRainey, Lumberton, Chairman
Private Duty	Sara Watson, Maxton, Chairman
Public Health	Martha Durham, Clarkton, Chairman

Alumnae Associations:

Southeastern General Hospital School of Nursing	Sophronia Wilkerson, Route 3, Lumberton, President

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

Members have been active in promoting membership; current pertinent materials, especially designated for study and discussion, relating to nursing education, nursing service, and professional nursing practice have been the focus of discussion.

A course on Head Nursing for Supervisors and Head Nurses was offered at Southeastern General Hospital by Dorothy Powell. Classes were conducted for "Candy Stripers" who gave 2,950 hours of service during the summer months.

Economic Security:

There are no hospitals in this District which offer retirement plans for nurses in addition to Social Security coverage; all hospitals have adopted the 40 hour, five-day week.

One hospital has submitted its personnel policies which it is stated are in the process of revision.

Disaster Nursing:

Registered nurses and student nurses have assisted in teaching disaster nursing to lay persons.

Public Relations and Recruitment:

The need for well qualified nurses is kept before the public through contact with members of civic clubs, with high school students, faculty and counselors.

Students are now recruited for the Southeastern Community College Associate Degree Program, since the diploma program at Southeastern General Hospital is being terminated. Facilities of this Institution will be utilized for clinical laboratory learning for nurse students in the community college.

Financial Status of District:

The treasurer reports a balance of $250.00.

DISTRICT SIXTEEN

Mrs. Irene Greer, Whiteville, President

Number of Meetings in District - 10
Average Attendance - 12
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 2

Membership - 53
Alumnae Associations - 0

Program:

October, 1965	"Associate Degree Nursing Program" discussed by Dr. Charles Ward
November, 1965	
December, 1965	Christmas Party
January, 1966	"Public Speaking" was the subject discussed by Dr. T. C. Barrett

February, 1966	"The Chaplain in a Hospital" was the subject presented by Dr. Richardson
March, 1966	"Medicare" was explained by Mrs. Betty Morris
April, 1966	"What If It Were I?" - Mrs. A. Eissons in charge
May, 1966	"The Practical Nurse Program" was discussed by Mrs. E. Hoose.
June, 1966	Family Picnic
September, 1966	"Anesthesia" was the subject of Mrs. E. Williams

Established Sections:

Private Duty	Mrs. Leah Powell, College Street, Whiteville, Chairman

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

All registered nurses in the County are being contacted in an attempt to increase membership.

The District members have studied pertinent and current publications relating to nursing education and to nursing service including professional nursing practice.

Hospital personnel policies for professional nurses are not available to the District at this time.

Two private duty nurses have joined the faculty of Southeastern Community College. One is a supervisor of the New Nursing Home at Whiteville, North Carolina.

All seniors in Columbus County high schools who qualify for admission to schools of nursing are eligible for the scholarship offered by the District.

Financial Status of District:

As of September 1, 1966, the treasurer reports a balance of $550.00.

DISTRICT SEVENTEEN

Mrs. Sue Woods, Roanoke Rapids, President

Number of Meetings of District - 8
Average Attendance - 12
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 2
Membership - 52
Alumnae Associations - 1

Programs, Topics, and Speakers:

October 5, 1965	Information on Study by National Health Commission in Halifax County - Mrs. Batton
November 2, 1965	Reports from NCSNA - Mrs. Hugh Wood, Mrs. Mary Davis, and Mrs. Mildred Page
December 7, 1965	Election of Officers and Christmas Party
January 4, 1966	Film - "The Million Club" - discussed by Mrs. Marjorie Stainback
March 8, 1966	Luncheon Meeting; Lecture on "Peritoneal Dialysis" - by Dr. William Brown

April 12, 1966	Film - "PKU in Babies and Children" - Mrs. Rodri
May 3, 1966	Report on Meetings in Durham, April 19-20 - by Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Rodri, and Mrs. Page

Established Sections:

Private Duty	Mrs. Little, Roanoke Rapids, Chairman
General Duty	Inactive

Alumnae Associations:

Roanoke Rapids Hospital	Mrs. Urcella King, Roanoke Rapids, President

Progress Reports of District Association Activities:

The press has been used as a media in promotion of membership. Nonmember nurses are invited to one meeting and membership is solicited.

Recent publications on subjects pertinentto the sound development of nursing and especially to the practice of nursing and the education of nurses have been studied and discussed by District members in group session.

Dr. Eloise Lewis has assisted in discussion of these important guides and standards.

There are no schools of nursing in this District.

All hospitals in this District have adopted the 40-hour, five-day week for nurse employees.

Personnel Policies of hospitals in the District are not available.

There has been good newspaper coverage of all meetings and of a number of nursing activities.

One member of this District passed away in September, 1966, Mrs. Henrietta Read Brown.

Financial Status:

As of June 1, 1966, the balance on hand in the treasury was $119.36.

DISTRICT EIGHTEEN

Mrs. June B. Baise, Wilson, President

Number of Meetings of District - 10
Average Attendance - 26
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 2

Membership - 129
Alumnae Associations - 3

Programs, Topics, Speakers:

October 12, 1965	"Health Careers Congress" - discussed by Mrs. Priscilla Ballance
November 9, 1965	Report on Convention - Mrs. Baise and Mrs. Sisk
December 14, 1965	Business Meeting

January 11, 1966	Business Meeting
February 8, 1966	"Work of WREN in Our Area and Its Services" - Mrs. Dorothy Hinson and Mrs. Addie Darden
March 8, 1966	"Guidelines for Implementing Medicare" - representative from Social Security Office in Atlanta, Georgia
April 12, 1966	Discussion of the New Nurse Practice Act - Priscilla Ballance
May 10, 1966	"The Practice of Team Nursing" - Discussion - and Film, "Mrs. Reynolds Needs a Nurse" - Mrs. Betsy Powell
June 14, 1966	"Disaster Nursing" - Mrs. Jacqueline Hart
September 13, 1966	"Meaning of Being a Nurse" - Reverend William Tyndall

Established Sections:

EACT	Mrs. Edith De Keyser, 614 Caldwell Avenue, Wilson, Chairman
General Duty	Mrs. Iris Francis, Bailey, Chairman
Head Nurse	Mrs. Dorothy Smith, Black Creek, Chairman
NSA	Mrs. Sara Kirby, Grace Drive, Wilson, Chairman
Office Nurse	Mrs. Dolly Teel, 1214 South Tarboro Street, Wilson, Chairman
Private Duty	Irene Benton, 606 Clark Avenue, Wilson, Chairman
Public Health	Mrs. Betty Stuart, 400 Belmont Avenue, Wilson, Chairman

Alumnae Associations:

Wilson School of Nursing	Mrs. Barbara Crumpler, 121 Boswell Street, Wilson, President
Carolina General School of Nursing	Mrs. Lucille Wilkerson, 1111 Treemont Road, Wilson, President
Woodward Herring School of Nursing	Nellie Garris, 205 East Vance Street, Wilson, President

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

In membership promotion, nonmembers are invited to all meetings and material received from NCSNA is distributed.

Evelyn Perry talked to nurses of this District on Guidelines for Nursing Education in North Carolina.

All hospitals in this District have adopted the 40-hour, five-day week, personnel policies for professional nurses from hospitals in this District have not been received. A few beginning salaries were listed, two hospitals have retirement plans for nurses in addition to Social Security coverage.

Student nurse recruitment is carried on by an instructor from Wilson School of Nursing who visits high schools within the District to talk to students.

Financial Status of District:

The treasurer reports a balance of $661.37.

DISTRICT NINETEEN

Mrs. Edna W. Few, Elizabeth City, President

Number of Meetings of the District - 10
Average Attendance - 10
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - --

Membership - 17
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

October 12, 1965	"Mystery of Time" - Film
November 9, 1965	Report on NCSNA Convention - Jean Lassiter and Fanny Jenkins
December 14, 1965	Christmas Party
February 8, 1966	Skit on "Bedside Nursing" - by students of a Practical Nurse School
March 8, 1966	"Medicare" by Jean Lassiter
April 12, 1966	Discussion of Trip to Holy Land with Slides - Fanny Jenkins
May 10, 1966	Report of Workshop on Medicare and Careers - Hulda Wood and Jean Lassiter
June 14, 1966	Annual Dinner Meeting - No Planned Program

Established Sections:

Private Duty	Mrs. Fanny Jenkins, Shiloh, North Carolina, Chairman

Economic Security:

One hospital offers a retirement plan for nurses in addition to Social Security; one hospital has not adopted the 40-hour, five-day week.

Honorary Members:

One nurse has been named an honorary member - Mrs. Christine Jennings, 1118 Harrington Road, Elizabeth City.

Financial Status of District:

(No report submitted)

DISTRICT TWENTY

Mrs. Margaret D. Flye, Rocky Mount, President

Number of Meetings of District - 8
Average Attendance - 30
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 8

Membership - 85
Alumnae Associations - 2

Programs:

October 12, 1965	Discussion of Head Start Program
November 9, 1965	Division of District in Washington

January 11, 1966	Dinner Meeting - Business Meeting with installation of officers
February 8, 1966	Talk by En Manabe, a Japanese exchange student on "The Customs of Japan"
March 8, 1966	Lecture by Dr. Raymond T. Doyle on "Cardiac Arrest" and showing of film, "The Pulse of Life"
April 12, 1966	Mrs. Dorothy Hinson explained "Aspects and Services Offered by WREN"
May 10, 1966	Dr. Ralph Dunn showed films and spoke on his tour of duty in Vietnam
September 13, 1966	Dr. Lewis Thorp talked on "Promoting the Program for the Study of Cancer"

Alumnae Associations:

Park View Alumnae Association	Mrs. Virginia Stotesbury, 1231 West Thomas Street, Rocky Mount, President
Rocky Mount Sanitarium	Mrs. Frankie Booker, 1300 Beal Street, Rocky Mount, President

Established Sections:

Private Duty	Mrs. Margarette Farmer, 117 North Pearl Street, Rocky Mount, Chairman

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

In January, 1966, District Twenty was divided. Nash and Edgecombe Counties remain in this District. Following this division, a special committee was appointed to recommend types of meetings, subjects, and other matters of concern.

Membership was promoted by sending newsletters prior to each District meeting extending special invitation to prospective members including new graduates.

Private Duty rates were increased to $18 per 8 hours effective March 15, 1966, as recommended by the Private Duty Section.

Financial Status of District:

Balance in the treasury is reported as $226.58.

Private Duty Section of District Twenty - Mrs. Margarette Farmer, Chairman:

The total membership of this Section is 58. Eight meetings have been held; the average attendance is 20. Meetings have been primarily of a business nature.

The Section was represented by its Chairman at the NCSNA Convention.

DISTRICT TWENTY-ONE

Mrs. Lucy M. Brown, Verona, President

Number of Meetings of District - 10
Average Attendance - 28
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 1

Membership - 64
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs, Topics, and Speakers:

October 19, 1965	"Functions of the Pacemaker" - Demonstration and Explanation - Dr. Baxter Nobles
November 16, 1965	"Cardiac Nursing" - Mrs. Lucy Brown
December 21, 1965	Installation of Officers
January 18, 1966	"Quality Nursing Care" - Jane Stowell
February 15, 1966	"Communications" - Hildred Harrison
March 5, 1966	"The Nurse and Her Legal Responsibility" - H. E. Tucker, Attorney
April 19, 1966	"Medicare" - Mr. Temple
May 17, 1966	"Guidelines for Nursing Education in North Carolina" - Dr. Mease
June 21, 1966	"The Nurse - Social Worker" - Mrs. Blanche Bissette
September, 1966	Election of Delegates to State Convention. Mrs. Kellum was made an honorary member of the District.

Alumnae Associations:

Lenoir Rhyne Memorial Hospital	Kinston

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

The District is attempting to collect certain information from hospitals which will prove helpful in attracting nurses to this area and in retaining them. Following is the findings to date: All hospitals have adopted the 40-hour, five-day week; one hospital has a retirement plan for nurses in addition to Social Security coverage; two hospitals have programs for nursing in national defense; and one hospital has an informal plan for interesting young people in fields of health. Certain students interested are permitted to gain experience in the hospital during summer months.

One hospital has submitted a copy of its personnel policies including salary schedules.

This District has one honorary member.

Financial Status of District:

The treasury has a balance of $914.32.

DISTRICT TWENTY-TWO

Mrs. Myrtle B. McKeithan, Wilmington, President

Number of Meetings of District - 9
Average Attendance - 26
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 4

Membership - 118
Alumnae Association - 1

Programs:

October 14, 1965	Information presented about Wilmington College Program - Luetta Booe

November 10, 1965	Reports from Convention - Mrs. Lucy Brown and Mrs. Blanche Ambrose and others
December 8, 1965	Christmas Party
January 12, 1966	"Portrayal of Nursing History of North Carolina" Narrator, Mrs. J. Pretlow
February 9, 1966	"What the ANA Has Done For Me" - by Dorothy Batten
March 9, 1966	Reports on Workshop held at Greenville - Mrs. Mary Kegel in charge
April 13, 1966	"Pre and Post-Operative Care of Patients" - discussed by Dr. J. Robinson
May, 1966	Picnic honoring graduating class of James Walker Memorial Hospital School of Nursing

Established Sections:

Private Duty	Mrs. Harriet Leon, 209 North 13th Street, Wilmington, Chairman

Alumnae Associations:

James Walker Memorial Hospital School of Nursing	Mrs. Bessie McKoy, 107 Pilgrim Circle, Wilmington, President

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

By way of encouraging membership, the District has offered a paid membership to any nurse who enrolls ten new members.

A Memorial Loan Fund of approximately $250 was established during the presidency of Mrs. Mattie Robinson for nurse students in need of financial assistance.

Financial Status of District:

Balance in the treasury as of August 1, 1966----$900.00.

Members of the District deceased: three.

DISTRICT TWENTY-THREE
Janet Rougier, Sylva, President

Number of Meetings of District - 9
Average Attendance - 14
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 1

Membership - 24
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs, Topics, Speakers:

October 20, 1965	"The Role of the Immunization Aid" - County Health Department - Mrs. Blugin
April 27, 1966	"The Field of Psychiatry" - Dr. Robert Nordling
May 18, 1966	"Modern Cardiac Equipment" - Nursing staff, C. J. Harris Community Hospital
June 15, 1966	"Physical Therapy for the Bedridden Patient" - Miss Henson, Physical Therapist

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

All new registered nurses in the District are invited to attend one meeting. Nursing Service Directors are encouraged to promote Association membership.

The fee of the private duty nurse has been raised to $18 for a tour of duty.

All hospitals (seven in the District) have adopted the 40-hour, five-day week for nurses.

Financial Status of District:

There is a balance of $208.42 in the treasury.

DISTRICT TWENTY-FOUR
Mrs. Eva M. McKeel, Powellsville, President

Number of Meetings of District - 9
Average Attendance - 12
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 0
Membership - 32
Alumnae Associations - 0

Program Topics:

October, 1965	"Some Laws Every Nurse Should Know"
November, 1965	Business Meeting
December, 1965	"Rehabilitation of the Deaf Patient"
January, 1966	"New Types of Anesthesia"
February, 1966	"Changes in Nursing Education"
March, 1966	"By Jupiter" - a film
April, 1966	A report - "League of Nursing"
May, 1966	"Medicare"
September, 1966	Capital Commentary

Established Sections:

EACT	Mrs. Almira Ockerman, Murfreesboro, Chairman
General Duty	Mrs. Mildred Spruill, Windsor, Chairman
Head Nurse	Mrs. Lorraine Blake, Ahoskie, Chairman
NSA	Mrs. Hazel Ralph, Ahoskie, Chairman
Private Duty	Mrs. Ella Morris, Ahoskie, Chairman
Public Health	Mrs. Julia Magee, Colerain, Chairman

Progress of District Activities:

The main goals achieved and/or attempted:

1. An increase in private duty nurses fees was achieved.
2. An attempt was made to increase membership through personal contact, and
3. Programs were directed toward keeping nurses informed of new ideas and developments.

Increased membership and attenance at meetings remain goals upon which greater emphasis will be placed for future development.

Financial Status:

Balance on hand is $56.93.

DISTRICT TWENTY-FIVE
Mrs. Pansy G. Carson, North Wilkesboro, President

Number of Meetings of District - 11
Average Attendance - 9
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 4

Membership - 19
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

October 4, 1965	Report of ICN Meeting in Frankfurt, Germany, Speaker, Una Key
November 1, 1965	Reports of Delegates to NCSNA Convention--Pansy Carson, Pauline Tedder, and Anne Carter
December 7, 1965	Christmas Party
January 3, 1966	Goals for 1966--Pansy Carson
February 7, 1966	"The Purpose of Our Work" - by Dr. R. E. Lewis
March 7, 1966	"Caesarean Section" - film and discussion by Dr. Charles Whicker
April 4, 1966	Report on Blue Ridge Opportunities Committee by Mr. Charles McNeill who attended the meeting
May 2, 1966	Consideration and discussion of "ANA Position Paper on Education" - Louise Vickery in charge
June 6, 1966	"Problems Facing our Organization" - Round Table Discussion led by Mrs. Pansy Carson
August 15, 1966	Picnic
September 5, 1966	"Coronary Proneness and Preventive Treatment" - presented by Vi Snyder

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

Time for presentation and discussion of the ANA Position Paper on Educational Preparation for Practitioners of Nursing, also of "Guidelines for Nursing Education in North Carolina" was provided.

Students in each high school in the county have been informed of opportunities in nursing. Newspapers are used as a communication media.

Financial Status of District:

A balance of $332.57 is in the treasury.

DISTRICT TWENTY-SIX
Mrs. Eleanor C. Osborne, Waynesville, President

Number of Meetings of District - 10
Average Attendance - 22
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 4

Membership - 37
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs, Topics, and Speakers:

October, 1965	Convention Reports - by four delegates in attendan

November, 1965	Election of New Officers
December, 1965	Christmas Dinner and Installation of Officers
January, 1966	Science Seminar, Haywood County - Leader: Dr. Doris Hammett
February, 1966	ANA Film, "Membership Express," shown - Chairman, Mrs. Judy Phillips
March, 1966	Film, "The First 1000" was shown.
April, 1966	"Medicinal Herbs" - Discussed by a Park Naturalist, L. Lines
May, 1966	"Medical Work in Bolivia" - Dr. Casey Wells
June, 1966	Family Picnic
September, 1966	"Wildflowers of Western North Carolina" - presented by Dr. William Justice

Established Sections:

General Duty	Mrs. Elizabeth Hyatt, 203 Main Street, Hazelwood, Chairman
Head Nurse	Mrs. Nancy Abel, Route 5, Box 60, Waynesville, Chairman
NSA	Mrs. Polly Angel, Route 2, Box 319, Clyde, Chairman
Occupational Health	Mrs. Mabel Barefoot, 125 Newfound Street, Canton, Chairman
Public Health	Mrs. Lillian Clark, Route 2, Box 304, Canton, Chairman

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

Under promotion activities, all nonmembers were invited to a supper. "Membership Express" and "Nurses Who Belong" were shown to stimulate membership.

One meeting was devoted to the discussion of one pertinent 1965 publication.

All hospitals in this District have adopted the 40-hour, five-day week; none has retirement plans in addition to Social Security coverage; and no hospital made available copies of personnel policies.

A benefit Valentine Dance netted $1,500.00 to be used for nurse student scholarships. Considerable publicity was given to this activity as has been to professional activities of the District.

One member, an honorary member of the District, passed away in February, 1966.

There are two honorary members of the District.

Financial Status of District:

The treasurer reports a balance of $180.31. The Scholarship Fund now totals $3,460.62.

DISTRICT TWENTY-SEVEN
Mrs. Bertha S. Blake, Burgaw, President

Number of Meetings of District - 10
Average Attendance - 15
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 4
Membership - 47
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs, Topics, Speakers:

October 5, 1965	"Nursing in Nigeria" - Mary Hester Powell
November 2, 1965	Election of Officers
December 7, 1965	Christmas Party
January 4, 1966	Business Meeting
February 1, 1966	"Nursing Education in Indonesia" - Virginia Miles
March 1, 1966	"The Sick Child" - Dr. C. L. Quinn
April 5, 1966	"Venereal Disease" (Film and Discussion) - Mr. Kenneth Hughes
May 3, 1966	Report on April Workshop - Annie K. Rhodes
September 6, 1966	Business Meeting

Personnel policies from hospitals in this District are not available. However, one hospital submitted its salary scale for registered nurses.

The District has lost one nurse through death the past year.

Financial Status of District:

The treasurer reports a balance of $118.02.

DISTRICT TWENTY-EIGHT
Hazel Wilfong, Newton, President

Number of Meetings of District - 10
Average Attendance - 15
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 1
Membership - 41
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

October, 1965	Board Meeting, Mary Helen Hovis, presiding
November, 1965	Election of Officers, Mary Helen Hovis in charge
December, 1965	Christmas Dinner and Installation of Officers
January, 1966	Business Meeting
February, 1966	"Membership Promotion" - Helen Peeler
March, 1966	Dr. White - "PKU Testing of Infants"
April, 1966	Dr. Deaton, "Cardiovascular Conditions"
May, 1966	Mr. Marsh, "Discussion on Medicare"
June, 1966	Picnic - Members and Families
July, 1966	Vacation Period - no meeting
August, 1966	Film - "Age Minus Sixty Days" - Discussion led by Carol Mitcham, State Board of Health
September, 1966	Dr. Dan Espy reported on "Eight Weeks Tour of Duty in Vietnam"

Established Sections:

NSA	Mrs. Mary Helen Hovis, Route 1, Iron Station, Chairman
Private Duty	Mrs. Ann Pendry, Route 2, Newton, Chairman
Public Health	Mrs. Anna Lou Kaylor, Box S-94, Conover, Chairman

Progress of District Activities:

An attempt was made to stimulate membership by providing written information about the organization to hospitals and to doctors' offices.

All members were urged to read the ANA Position Paper on Educational Preparation for Practitioners of Nursing and also "Guidelines for Nursing Education in North Carolina."

Three hospitals, Catawba General at Newton; Richard Baker at Hickory; and Hickory Memorial at Hickory have not adopted the 40-hour, five-day week.

Members have assisted with activities of the Blood Mobile and have talked to various patient groups. One member talked to a high school Future Medics of America group.

One nonmember registered nurse working on membership promotion attends regular monthly meetings of the District.

Financial Status:

Balance on hand, no outstanding bills-----$341.94.

DISTRICT TWENTY-NINE

Mrs. Cathryne C. Kennedy, Gastonia, President

Number of Meetings of District - 9
Average Attendance - 45
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 9

Membership - 126
Alumnae Associations - 3

Programs, Topics, and Speakers:

January, 1966	"Wills" - presented by Henry Whitesides, Attorney
March, 1966	"Ecuador--Country and Customers" - by Anna Rodrique, a foreign exchange student from Ecuador
May, 1966	"Effects of Medicare on Nursing" - Margaret Cudd, Director of Nurses, Gaston Hospital; Mrs. Mary Edith Rogers
June, 1966	"A Trip to South America" - by Dr. John Hamrick
September, 1966	Report on ANA Convention - by Mrs. Mary Edith Rogers

Sections Established:

Private Duty Section

Alumnae Associations:

Cleveland Memorial Hospital
Gordon Crowell Memorial Hospital, Eliza Fullwood Henry, Lincolnton, President
Gaston Memorial Hospital, Mrs. Elizabeth Kinlaw, 1405 Florida Avenue, Gastonia, President

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

A list of inactive nurses in the District has been obtained from three adjoining counties. These persons have been invited to District meetings.

The content of certain recent publications in nursing has been studied and discussed.

All hospitals in this community have adopted the 40-hour, five day week; none has submitted personnel policies for nurses; and none has retirement plans for nurses in addition to Social Security coverage.

The District has had good newspaper coverage of its meetings.

There has been little activity in recruitment of nurse students; there is only one school in the District.

Financial Status of District:

There is a balance of $323.00 in the treasury.

DISTRICT THIRTY

Mrs. Mary Lee Steele, Washington, President

Number of Meetings of District - 6
Average Attendance - 35
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 6

Membership - 65
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs, Subjects, Speakers:

January, 1966	"Leaves of Gold" - Williamston Members
February, 1966	"Child Development" - Dr. Malene Irons
April, 1966	Educational Preparation for Nurse Practitioners and Assistants to Nurses - Faculty of East Carolina College
May, 1966	"Wildlife in District Thirty" - member of Wildlife Commission
September, 1966	Report on Biennial Convention - Board of Directors

Established Sections:

Private Duty	Mrs. Grace Turner, Greenville, Chairman

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

Members of Membership Committee contacted by phone or in person every nurse in the District. Various methods are used to obtain names of inactive nurses.

One monthly meeting was devoted to the ANA Position Paper on Educational Preparation for Practitioners of Nursing by members of the EACT Section.

An attempt has been made to recruit for nurse students through a variety of activities with organized groups throughout the county.

Personnel policies are not available from hospitals until November, due to the many changes now taking place.

DISTRICT THIRTY-ONE
Mrs. Grayson Byrd, Asheboro, President

Number of Meetings of District - 5
Average Attendance - 33
Number of Board of Directors Meetings - 1

Membership - 21
Alumnae Associations - 0

Programs:

April 12, 1966	Mrs. Marie B. Noell spoke on "Organizing a District"
May 17, 1966	Dr. Frank Edmondson discussed "Changes in the Medical Field"
June 28, 1966	Dr. Harvey Adams spoke on the subject of "Medicare"
July 26, 1966	Election of Officers, Mrs. Grayson Byrd in charge
August 23, 1966	Installation of Officers - Hazel Johnson, presiding

Established Sections:

Since this District is newly organized, Sections have not been established, neither have important trends in nursing been discussed.

Progress Report of District Association Activities:

All registered nurses in Randolph County have been contacted by phone, letters and/or cards in an attempt to recruit members. Prospective members were invited and encouraged to attend the first several meetings.

Newspaper coverage of nurses meetings, activities of various types and other phases has been good. Members are interested in encouraging recruitment of nurse students.

Personnel policies and practices for registered staff nurses have been submitted from one hospital in this District.

Financial Status of District:

On hand as of September 10, 1966----------$30.96.

ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DISTRICT ONE — THREE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

MEMORIAL MISSION ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Frieda Bailey Roberts, Asheville, President

No Report

MERIWEATHER ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Raven P. Noland, Asheville, President

No Report

MOUNTAIN SANITARIUM AND HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Maeona Schmick, Skyland, President

No Report

DISTRICT TWO — TWO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

GRACE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Betty M. Smith, Morganton, President

No Report

RUTHERFORD HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Ardell Robinson, Rutherfordton, President

No Report

DISTRICT THREE — FOUR ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

CITY AND FORSYTH MEMORIAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Jeannette Alexander, Winston-Salem, President

Other officers for 1966 are: Mrs. Marie Perryman, First Vice-President; Laura Mosley, Second Vice-President; Mrs. Barbara Shields, Secretary; Mary Reavis, Secretary; and Board members elected: Mrs. Polly Styers, Patsy Mize, Mrs. Blanche Beeson, and Mildred Floyd.

A Christmas party was held December 7 at the home of Juanita Payne, Winston-Salem. There was good attendance. Gifts were exchanged and those attending sent smocks to some of our older alumnae in nursing homes.

The sum of $300 was donated to the nurse students' library for purchase of books.

Alumnae dues were established at $2.00 per member.

An award for a junior student, to be presented for the first time this year, was approved for the best-all-around junior. The award is to be a silver bowl engraved with the student's name.

At the April meeting, Dr. William Rabil, a general surgeon,talked on the subject of Christ's Shroud.

A picnic was held in June with graduating students as guests.

A newsletter to all alumnae keeps them informed of everything going on at the new hospital.

Membership now totals 250.

KATE BITTING REYNOLDS MEMORIAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Elizabeth Hampton, Winston-Salem, President

No Report

MARTIN MEMORIAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Naomi A. Slate, Mt. Airy, President

Other officers are as follows: Mrs. Virginia W. Simmons, Vice-President Mrs. Cynthia W. Brannock, Secretary; Mrs. Eloise S. Neal, Treasurer; Board of Directors: Mrs. Lucy H. Johnson, Mrs. Nell C. Perdue, Mrs. Esther Y. McMillan, and Mrs. Frances E. Gentry.

Attendance has been better this year, which fact is attributed to the place of meetings--in the homes of members.

Events of the year are as follows:

Banquet honoring the graduating class
Entertained Nurses of District Three at the First Baptist Church
Christmas Party for Alumnae members and other nurses
Special tribute was paid to Miss E. May Hylton and a gift of silver was presented to her for her many years of loyal service to the nursing profession

The student loan fund continues to aid nurse students.

The Alumnae Award for the Best Bedside Nurse was given to Elaine Shuler, a member of the 1966 graduating class.

Mrs. Bertha Ashby, a former director of nurses, has been remembered with gifts during her illness.

The sale of cook books and caps continues as a means of support for the Alumnae Association.

There are 54 members.

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Linda Crouse, Winston-Salem, President

Other officers for 1966 are: Mrs. Mary Jane S. Parks, First Vice-President; Mrs. Betty G. Pikula, Second Vice-President; Mrs. Genny F. Perdue, Secretary; Mrs. Sue D. Chapman, Treasurer; Board of Directors: Lucia Shirley, Mrs. Lorene O. Kleu, Mrs. Mary Wray Fulton, and Mary Van Poole.

There are 198 members (an increase of 72 members over last year) including 50 residents, 93 non-residents; 50 associates (new graduates), and 5 honorary members. Average attendance at meeting is 20 members.

Seven general meetings have been held this year. In addition, there have been many smaller meetings of the newsletter committee, and of Board members involved in the publication and distribution of a news booklet mailed to all alumnae whose addresses are known to us. Our membership drive has been a major project this year.

Programs for the year were as follows:

October, 1965	Mrs. Ellen Reeves Sharpe, R.N., a non-resident Alumnae member, showed slides and gave an inspiring talk about her camp for handicapped children, Camp Sky Ranch near Blowing Rock
November, 1965	Election of Officers Nancy Peterson, President of the Student Government at NCBH gave a report of the State Convention of SNANC. Mrs. Linda B. Crouse, Alumnae President, reported about the State Convention of NCSNA
December, 1965	Annual pot-luck supper to which Loan Fund Students, Honorary Members, and Hospital Administrators were guest
January, 1966	Canceled due to inclement weather
February, 1966	Dr. Kenneth Carlson, local Urologist, gave an informative illustrated talk about his experience while an Air Force Surgeon in Japan
March, 1966	Business meeting to plan news booklet
April, 1966	The late Dr. Leroy Crandell, head of Anesthesiology and Inhalation Therapy Departments at NCBH, conducted a class on the methods of cardiac massage and mouth to mouth resuscitation. Class open to interested individuals
May, 1966	Discussed plans for enlarging nursing school and hospital - Business Meeting

We have five students presently on Loan Fund Scholarships. A large donation has been made to the school library. A donation was also made to the Department of Inhalation Therapy in memory of Dr. Crandell. A resident member was sent to the 1965 NCSNA Convention. A gift was presented to the School of Nursing in honor of the graduating class.

Our new permanent mailing address is as follows:

School of Nursing Alumnae Association
North Carolina Baptist Hospital
P. O. Box 103
Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27103

DISTRICT FOUR THREE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DAVIS ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Kay Miller, Statesville, President

No Report

H. F. LONG ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Dorothy I. Bryant, Statesville, President

No Report

LOWRANCE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Norma Graham, Mooresville, President

No Report

DISTRICT FIVE FIVE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

CHARLOTTE MEMORIAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Loree Fincher, Charlotte, President

No Report

GOOD SAMARITAN ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Carolyn Wyche, Charlotte, President

No Report

MERCY ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Mary Lou Short, Charlotte, President

Other officers are as follows: Sister Mary Dominic, Vice-President; Betty Waters, Second Vice-President; Helen Otterbourg, Secretary; Judy Parks, Assistant Secretary; and Ann McGrath, Treasurer.

Ten meetings of this Association were held during the current year. All meetings were held at the Nurses' Home Auditorium, the third Monday of each month at 8 p.m.

The year's project was a continuation of the "Loan Closet" in the Hospital for indigent and deserving patients. Funds were raised by the sale of dish cloths and chances on a $50 bond.

A donation of $157 was made to Sister Mary Elizabeth as a scholarship to be used as partial tuition.for a nurse student.

The Alumnae voted to give $25 each year to the School of Nursing for the purchase of needed reference books. Each gift is given in memory of a deceased alumnae member. Also, the Alumnae voted to award a pin to a nurse in each graduating class who has the most outstanding record in medical and surgical nursing.

Among the many excellent programs planned for the year were:

The Nurse and the Diabetes Patient
Social Security with Special Emphasis on Medicare
Vocational Rehabilitation - Slides were whown which were taken during a class for nurses' aides on the subject of Retardation

On June 22, the Alumnae entertained the graduating class at the Country Dinner Theatre.

There are 238 paid members in the Association, many of whom live out of the State. There is an average attendance of 20-25 members each month.

PRESBYTERIAN ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Rachael Yandell, Charlotte, President

During this period of time, our Alumnae Association has continued progress in many areas. Our monthly programs have been stimulating, up-to-date, and well attended. Some of the more outstanding ones are:

"The Effect of Medicare on North Carolina Hospitals and Nurses"
"Mission to Bolivia" (by doctors and lay persons from Charlotte area)
"The Licensed Practical Nurse of Today"

The annual June Homecoming with baby show and picnic was held June 9, 1966, in the nurses residence. The pin award was made to Blanche Sawyer who at present is associated with the Public Health Department in Greensboro, North Carolina.

During this year, our association has lost several members due to death. Even though inactive for a number of years, Miss Mattie Moore had contributed in the past to our nurses association both locally and state-wide. Annie Rhyne, night supervisor of Presbyterian Hospital for forty-two years, had retired a year ago and passed away on August 31, 1966. Her passing will leave a blank in our hearts; however, the Annie Rhyne Scholarship Fund established by the alumnae in her honor many years ago, will continue to serve as a memorial.

Our interest continues to follow all our graduates regardless of where they are located. We hope that they will keep in touch with us by sending change of addresses to Presbyterian Hospital.

ST. PETER'S ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Isabel T. Davis, Charlotte, President

Other officers are as follows: Mrs. Julia Burch, First Vice-President; Mrs. Lena N. Johnston, Secretary, and Mrs. Beulah B. Fender, Treasurer.

The St. Peter's Hospital Alumnae Association has forty-three members with twenty-five active members. Meetings are held in various homes for nine months of the year with an average attendance of sixteen. The September meeting is in the form of a home coming picnic including husbands and friends of the members.

Projects: Auction sales, paper drives and individual projects.

All members were remembered with cards and a fruit basket during illness or bereavement. A Christmas party was held in December. Our last Student Nurse using our Student Loan Fund will graduate in August, 1967.

The balance in the treasury is $2,612.42.

DISTRICT SIX TWO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

CABARRUS MEMORIAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

No Report

ROWAN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

No Report

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The annual [illegible] was held on June 9, 1965, in the nurses' residence. The [illegible] award was given to [illegible] who at present is associated with the [illegible] in Greensboro, North Carolina.

During this year, our association has lost several members due to death. Even though inactive for a number of years, [illegible] had contributed in the past to our nursing association both locally and statewide. [illegible], superintendent of [illegible] Hospital for forty-five years, had retired a year ago and passed away on August [illegible] 1966. Her passing will leave a mark in our hearts. However, the [illegible] Scholarship Fund established by the alumnae in her honor, many years ago, will continue to serve as a memorial.

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ST. PETER'S ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Isabel T. [illegible], Charlotte, President

Other officers are as follows: Mrs. [illegible], First Vice President; Mrs. Lena D. Johnston, Secretary, and Mrs. [illegible], Treasurer.

The St. Peter's Hospital Alumnae Association has thirty-three members with twenty-five active members. Meetings are held on various dates for nine months of the year with an average attendance of [illegible]. The September meeting is in the form of a [illegible] picnic including husbands and friends of the members.

Projects: Rummage sales, paper drives and [illegible] projects.

All members were remembered with cards and a fruit basket during illness or bereavement. A Christmas party was held in December. Our last Student Nurse using our Student Loan Fund will graduate in August, 1967.

The balance in the treasury is [illegible].

DISTRICT SIX   THE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

GRACE HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

No Report

[illegible] HOSPITAL NURSES ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

No Report

DISTRICT SEVEN NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DISTRICT EIGHT THREE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

A AND T COLLEGE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
John Clinton Smith, Greensboro, President

No Report

L. RICHARDSON HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Annie Gilmer, Greensboro, President

The L. Richardson Memorial Hospital Alumnae Association meets monthly from September to May.

The Annual Homecoming was held May 27, 1966, with a luncheon and social function.

Former directors of nursing were asked to return.

Future plans for a scholarship are in the hands of the Committee.

Recognition was given to Mrs. Edna Burge who received a plaque from the Greensboro Medical Auxiliary for achievement in nursing.

Mrs. Thelma Vines has served twenty-five years at A and T College in nursing service.

ST. LEO'S ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Ruby Hinshaw, Greensboro, President

The St. Leo's Alumnae Association this past year has had two General meetings and two Board meetings. In addition to transacting the usual business, it was decided to include Guilford County Schools (excluding High Point) as a source of possible applicants for our scholarship award of $100.00 awarded annually. These applicants must have been accepted by an accredited school of nursing. Due to a contribution of $100.00 in memory of Miss Bertha Sockwell, two winners were selected this year--they are Carolyn Combs and Joan Moenkhaus. Miss Combs will attend UNC-G and Miss Moenkhaus will attend North Carolina Baptist Hospital School of Nursing. We have a total of four scholarship winners, each being a guest at our dinner meetings.

An impressive memorium for Miss Sockwell was held at the November meeting.

Programs at the meetings were: "The Changing Trends in Nursing Education" by Miss Alice Boehret, former Director of Nursing Education at UNC-G and "Why You Should Be a Member of ANA" by Mrs. Catherine Layton, President of District Eight, North Carolina State Nurses' Association.

Although we have programs at each meeting, the June meeting is primarily a social event and the November meeting is a business meeting.

DISTRICT NINE ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

HIGH POINT MEMORIAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Geraldine Farlow, High Point, President

Other officers are as follows: Jean Bryant, First Vice-President; Carolyn Frye, Second Vice-President; Melinda Dillon, Treasurer; Juanita Yarborough, Secretary; Board of Directors: Mary Nell Welch and Betsy Payne.

Projects during the year:

Cookbooks--Alumnae members contributed favorite recipes

Alumnae sponsored High Point contestant for "Miss Student Nurse" Pageant in Charlotte. This student won the honor.

In July we had our Annual Homecoming. We had open house in the Medica Center from 5 to 6 p.m. Then our dinner meeting was in the hospital library at 7 p.m. There were 55 members present (75 including guests) Mrs. Lucille Holsinger, Director of Nursing, was guest speaker.

DISTRICT TEN NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DISTRICT ELEVEN FOUR ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DUKE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF NURSING ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Gayle Porter, Hillsborough, President

Other officers are as follows: Mrs. Betsy Rackley, Vice-President; Mrs. Nancy Anderson, Secretary-Treasurer; Martha Lee Covington, Mrs. Mary Davis, Dorothy Wilkinson, and Janet Craig, Counselors.

The Association activities during the past year have included active support of the Annual Lecture Series which is sponsored by the School of Nursing.

Sale of our cookbook, Gothic Gourmet, continues to contribute to the Florence K. Wilson Scholarship Fund. This project has been so successful that a second printing of the cookbook is planned.

LINCOLN HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. P. W. McClain, Durham, President

Other officers (1966-1968) are as follows: Lucille Lawrence, Vice-President; Emily Price, Recording Secretary; Helen Jones, Corresponding Secretary; and Clara Harris, Treasurer.

The regular meetings of this Association are held the third Wednesday of each month from September through June.

We have 46 paid membership with approximately 22 active members.

We have seven standing committees which are:

1. Constitution and Bylaws

2. Finance

3. Membership

4. Nomination

5. Program and Nursing Information

6. Miscellaneous Affairs

7. Nursing School

Our main activities have been in the interest of the student nurses. We gave:

1. A welcome party for new students.
2. Gave Christmas gifts to the students.
3. Gave a dinner honoring the Graduating Class and a gift to an outstanding student.

We have a loan fund that is available to any deserving and needy student, also a Scholarship Fund given to a Junior student to stimulate and promote better performance.

We also gave a donation to help defray the expenses of the student to the National Student Association meeting.

Other activities were:

1. Christmas gifts to patients at Gravely Sanitorium
2. A donation to the Hospital
3. A cabaret as a fund raising project
4. Rememberances to sick or bereaved members

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF NURSING ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Nancy Ray, Raleigh, President

No Report

WATTS HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Mildred S. Dodson, Durham, President

No Report

DISTRICT TWELVE ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

HAMLET HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Elizabeth Howell, Hamlet, President

This Association sponsors the student glee club each year. The Alumnae members obtain the glee club director each year and finance all the activities of the club.

Each year two awards are given upon graduation. One is for the most outstanding student in the graduating class. This award is based on clinical ability, adaptability, conduct and scholastic standing. This scholarship is given in honor of the late Dr. W. D. James. The second award is "The Mary A. Freeman Obstetric Award." This award is given to the most outstanding student in obstetrical nursing.

The Hamlet Hospital Alumnae offers a scholarship to any deserving student who applies before enrolling, also, if help is needed after admission. This takes care of books, uniforms, and any other necessities needed. The scholarship loan is paid back by the student after graduation. If for any reason, they should drop out of school they are required to pay back the amount used.

DISTRICT THIRTEEN FOUR ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DOROTHEA DIX HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

No Report

MARY ELIZABETH HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

No Report

REX HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Meta Monteleon, Raleigh, President

No Report

ST. AGNES HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

No Report

DISTRICT FOURTEEN ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

HIGHSMITH-RAINEY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Earline P. Riddle, Fayetteville, President

Other officers are as follows:
Mrs. Cora Miller, Vice-President; Mrs. Edna McMillian, Second Vice-President; Mrs. Ella McCorquodale, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Mary F. Parker, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Gladys P. Sessoms, Treasurer; and Mrs. Myrtle Bracey, Historian. Board members are: Mrs. Elizabeth Yarborough, Mrs. Mary F. Parker, Mrs. Marjorie McRainey, and Mrs. Glenola Williams.

We had our Home Coming Banquet at Kleha's Steak House October 16, 1965, with Mrs. Glenola Williams, president, presiding. Approximately two hundred attended. Mrs. Ella McCorquodale, Vice-President, called roll and each class from 1906 through 1965 was recognized. The oldest alumnae member was recognized. Approximately seventy-five door prizes, which were donated, were given to alumnae members, husbands, and guests. Mr. Frank Ceruzzi, Executive Director of Cumberland County Hospital Authority, was guest speaker for the evening. A tea was given by the active members at the Nurses' Residence on Arsenal Avenue from 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. prior to the banquet.

We have had two money making projects this year, a barbecue supper and a Stanley party. The total money made on the projects was $460.23. This is in addition to previous projects and donations from former alumnae and friends of Miss Kelly. This money will be used to furnish Room 312 in memory of Miss E. A. Kelly, former Superintendent of Nurses for more than twenty-five years. We now have enough money to furnish this room and are in the process of ordering furniture.

Donations have been received for the Louise Lloyd Owen Memorial Fund. A memorial is sent to this fund from the alumnae when there is a death of an alumnae member or any member of her immediate family. We are continuing to give financial aid to second year students from this fund without interest until after their first year out of school. Cards have been sent to all known to be sick or bereaved.

We have had ten regular monthly meetings with varied and interested programs. The monthly average attendance has been fifteen to twenty members.

Our December meeting, a Christmas party which is held annually in the home of Mrs. Annie Hollingsworth, was well attended and all enjoyed singing Christmas carols. Food was brought for a needy family and we contributed to the aid of the same blind girl whom we have helped for several years.

June was our annual family picnic. Mrs. Loreen Smith invited the alumnae and families to have the picnic in her garden patio. Our invited guests were the senior students, Mrs. Rowena Hooks (Director of Nursing), and staff instructors.

No meeting in July or August was held. We have had one Board Meeting and one Committee Meeting. At present, we are busy getting our news letter out for the year.

DISTRICT FIFTEEN ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

SOUTHEASTERN GENERAL HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Sophronia Wilkerson, Lumberton, President

September 15, 1965

Program by Mrs. Agnes Mills and Mrs. Miriam Edwards who had attended the Operating Room Conference in Charlotte. They gave a talk on treatment of Parkinsons Disease.

October 20, 1965

Program was by Dr. A. R. Pittman, who gave a very interesting talk on cancer and methods of treatment.

November 17, 1965

Expenses paid for Delegates to North Carolina State Meeting Program was by Mrs. Myrtle Hall. They showed a film on Cerebral Vascular Disease. Mrs. Dorothy Murphy, Mrs. Grace Smith, and Mrs. Agnes Mills gave a report on the NCSNA Convention.

December 15, 1965

The Annual Christmas covered dish supper was held at the home of Mrs. Eula Powers. The Nominating Committee read the slate of officers to be voted on.

January 19, 1966
Program by Mrs. George Silverton. She gave a most interesting talk and showed slides of her trip to Jerusalem.

February 16, 1966
Program by Dr. Robert D. Douglas. He told us of the history and past and present treatment of the mentally ill.

March 16, 1966
Mr. Sonny Thomas, representative of "Fashion Tress" wigs gave us a history of how hair was obtained to make wigs and the styling.

April 27, 1966
Program was by Mr. Harold Evans who is manager of B. F. Goodrich plant that is being built in Lumberton. He told history of the plant and how shoes are made.

May 21, 1966
Program was by Mrs. Betty Lamb and Mrs. Miriam Edwards. They honored the older members of the Alumnae and gave them gifts that were donated by the merchants in town.

DISTRICT SIXTEEN NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DISTRICT SEVENTEEN ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

ROANOKE RAPIDS HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Urcella King, Roanoke Rapids, President

No Report

DISTRICT EIGHTEEN THREE ALUMANE ASSOCIATIONS

CAROLINA GENERAL SCHOOL OF NURSING ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Lucille Wilkerson, Wilson, President

Other officers include: Mrs. Dolly Teel, First Vice-President; Mrs. Annie Lamm, Second Vice-President; Mrs. Helen Scott, Secretary; Mrs. Ruth Farmer, Treasurer; Directors: Mrs. Elizabeth Davis, Mrs. Priscilla Ballance, Mrs. Anna Roberson, Creola Snodgrass.

The Alumnae has a total of 40 members with an average attendance of 21. The meetings are held the first Thursday of each month except July and August at 8 p. m. in the various homes. Interesting programs, lectures or some type of entertainment are planned for each meeting. The June meeting is usually a Dutch dinner which includes the family. The January meeting is also a dinner meeting with the installation of new officers for the coming year.

The Alumnae is now compiling a book on "The History of the Carolina General Hospital."

At Christmas and at other times of the year, the Alumnae send cards to members who are ill. Flowers are sent to the bereaved members.

Balance in the Treasury September 1, 1966 is $656.41.

Scholarship Fund is $64.20.

WILSON SCHOOL OF NURSING ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS
Mrs. Barbara Crumpler, Wilson, President

This is a resume of the activities of the past year of the Wilson School of Nursing Alumnae. Mrs. Barbara Crumpler was President.

We started the year with each member volunteering to give a program at one of the monthly meetings. Members also signed to have a meeting in the homes of those who wished to act as hostess for the different meetings.

Our largest project was selecting a family from the Welfare List of Needy at Christmas as a Christmas opportunity. Ours was a Negro family consisting of a Mother who had cancer, two teenage daughters, and an older son who worked at the factories during the tobacco processing season. The girls attend school and one works two afternoons a week. This was all the income the family had as they did not qualify for welfare help. The only source of heat or means which they had to cook was a small wood burner in the bed-sitting room. Our girls paid two visits to this family and determined what they most needed. We then decided to have a gas tank installed so that they could use the range which they had, but did not have hooked up. We collected used clothes and bought each member of the family some new clothes and other small gifts such as cosmetics for the girls. We also took a large box of food so that they could have a nice Christmas dinner.

Following our business meeting a member presented a well-planned program each month. These included slides of Tryon Palace at one meeting and records of psychiatric problems encountered in the doctor's office at another meeting among others.

We again offered a $100.00 loan to any Senior Student Nurse at the Wilson School of Nursing during the last six months of her training, but we had no one to apply for it.

We had a model meeting in March for the Senior Students and had a representative of the White Swan Uniform Company from New York and the Assistant Manager of Belk-Tylers to give a uniform show with the Alumni members as models.

We had several members to become new Mothers and each was presented a gift of flowers.

In May we entertianed the graduating student nurses at a cook-out at the home of one of the members. Two of our husbands acted as outdoor chefs. Each guest was presented a silver charm and a bagful of small momentos donated by drug companies.

We voted at the close of the year to change our meeting night from Tuesday to Monday nights in hope of being able to raise our membership for the coming year.

WOODARD-HERRING ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Nellie Garris, Wilson, President

No Report

DISTRICT NINETEEN — NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

DISTRICT TWENTY — TWO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

PARK VIEW ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Virginia Statesbury, Rocky Mount, President

Alumnae members on roll - 52

Average attendance - 22

From September, 1965 through May, 1966 the programs were as follows:

September, 1965
Pam Robinson, exchange student to Brazil

October, 1965
Dr. Julian Brantley - very informative talk and discussion on menopause

November, 1965
Reports from Mrs. Herman Bone, Mrs. Mary R. Griffin, and Mrs. Virginia M. Statesbury on NCSNA convention

December, 1965
Christmas party - Mrs. Virginia Jenkins

January, 1966
General Business and social hour

February, 1966
Miss Emi Manabe Foriegn exchange student from Japan

March, 1966
Louise Wehrum, student nurse, also candidate for Miss Rocky Mount monologue, "The Waltz"

April, 1966
Dorothy Hinson, executive director of WREN and Darden Field, representative for the North Carolina Tuberculosis Association showed films on tuberculosis and upper respiratory diseases.

May, 1966
Covered dish supper - Mrs. Wanda Wilson

June, July, and August disbanded for summer

Flowers were sent to funerals of immediate relatives of nurses, cards of sympathy were sent to all families losing loved ones, gifts were sent to all sick members, and birthday cards signed by all members were sent to doctors yearly.

Contributions to heart fund, cancer drive and Tuberculosis Association were given.

ROCKY MOUNT SANITARIUM ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Frankie Booker, Rocky Mount, President

Other officers are: Mrs. Margaret Flye, Vice-President; Mrs. Blonnie Windley, Secretary; Mrs. Elaine Proctor, Treasurer; Mrs. Clyde R. Mann, Corresponding Secretary; and Mrs. Ethel Hill, Chaplin.

The Alumnae has a total of 34 members and held ten (10) meetings with an average attendance of 16. Regular meetings are held the first Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m.

The Alumnae served as hostess to District Twenty, NCSNA every other month during the year. It also sponsored four Alumnae members to the NCSNA Convention in Durham.

The Alumnae contributes to the Cancer and Heart Fund. All sick or bereaved members were remembered with flowers, cards, and gifts.

All members are registered with Red Cross disaster nursing. Several give services such as teaching home nursing, mother and baby care, work with blood mobile, and serve on special committees.

December featured a Christmas party at the Heritage Inn. Attending other than the Alumnae were husbands, Rocky Mount Sanitarium doctors and their wives, and hospital staff. This consisted of hospitality hour, dinner, dance and drawing of gifts. Favors were given to all. Also at the December meeting of the Alumnae, small gifts were exchanged and there was excellent food. Hostess was Mrs. Blonnie Windley at Spring Hope.

Summary of Meetings:

September, 1965 - Appointment of delegates to State Convention. Nominating Committee appointed.
October, 1965 - Nominating Committee made their report and names to represent state meeting were approved.
November, 1965 - Officers for 1966 and 1967 voted on and report of state meeting given.
December, 1965 - See general report above.
January, 1966 - Collection of dues, discussion of increase in rates of Private Duty Nurse.
February, 1966 - Talk by Korean Exchange Student.
March, 1966 - Voted to give to Heart and Cancer Fund and also voted to order file cabinet for Alumnae records.
April, 1966 - Report of special committees.
May, 1966 - Plans for annual family night.
June, 1966 - Family picnic (See above) honoring Mrs. Susan Ennis who is moving to Greensboro.

DISTRICT TWENTY-ONE ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

LENOIR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Kinston

Lenoir Memorial Hospital Alumnae Association is inactive at present.

DISTRICT TWENTY-TWO ONE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

JAMES WALKER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Bessie McKoy, Wilmington, President

The Association has had a total of five meetings since January, 1966.

To begin our year, the following committees were appointed: Program, Membership, Service Fund, Publication, and a Scholarship Committee.

Through active promotion, the Membership Committee raised the total number of members to 262. The Service Fund Committee has sent flowers and cards to our active members when ill and families of deceased members. Publicity Committee is planning to edit and publish our newsletter that will be mailed to all of our graduates when completed. The Program Committee sponsored a covered dish supper in August for the last graduating class of the James Walker Memorial Hospital School of Nursing. At this supper, each member of the graduating class was presented our graduate cap as a gift from the Alumnae Association. At commencement exercises on August 22, 1966, a scholarship pin was presented to the student with the highest average in the graduating class. The Alumnae Association also assisted the graduating class with the publication of their annual which was the history of the James Walker Memorial Hospital School of Nursing.

The developments of the Scholarship Committee were reported at the May meeting. It was decided that the name of the Scholarship Fund would be: The James Walker Memorial Hospital School of Nursing Alumnae Association Scholarship Fund. Letters requesting prespective citizens to serve on the Board of Trustees were mailed and in May a Board of seven trustees were voted to serve one to five years on the board. Sub-committees have been very successful in fund raising contest of candy sales, rummage sales, selling Stanley projects and cake sales.

Also in May, the Board of Directors of our organization met to discuss the qualifications, rules, and regulations for our Scholarship Fund.

In October, we will resume our regular meetings to complete unfinished business of the year.

DISTRICT TWENTY-THREE NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

DISTRICT TWENTY-FOUR NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

DISTRICT TWENTY-FIVE NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

DISTRICT TWENTY-SIX NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

DISTRICT TWENTY-SEVEN NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

DISTRICT TWENTY-EIGHT NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

DISTRICT TWENTY-NINE THREE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATIONS

CLEVELAND MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

No Report

GASTON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Mrs. Elizabeth Kinlaw, Gastonia, President

No Report

GORDON CROWELL MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
Eliza Fullwood Henry, Lincolnton, President

The following is a report (including the history) of the Alumnae which is in the process of reorganizing Gordon Crowell Memorial Hospital Alumnae.

Lincoln Hospital was established in 1907 by the late Dr. L. A. Crowell, Sr. The Alumnae was organizaed in the early twenties with a few members, we were very active, met once a month for a business and social meeting and enjoyed the fellowship.

During 1936 the name of Lincoln Hospital was changed to the Gordon Crowell Memorial Hospital and Training School which continued until 1946. There were a number of graduates during the training period. In our Alumnae we had a number of associate members for a long time, then they became dissatisfied as they had no voting voice in matters of the Alumnae.

In 1958 we reorganized and became Lincoln County Graduate and Registered Nurse's Club with a number of new members joining. During 1964 when District Twenty-Nine was being organized, including Gaston, Lincoln, and Cleveland Counties, a number of members wanted to join and felt like they could not attend two meetings a month and belong to both.

We voted to disband from the Nurse's Club, but still carry on as Gordon Crowell Memorial Hospital Alumnae. We have so few of our hospital graduates living here and in the county it is hard to carry on.

I am planning a meeting for October, hope we can re-organize and have some associate members as before.

DISTRICT THIRTY — NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

DISTRICT THIRTY-ONE — NO ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

Program

Sixty-Fourth Annual Convention

North Carolina State Nurses' Association

Program

Sixty-Fourth Annual Convention

North Carolina State Nurses' Association

October 18-21, 1966

Robert E. Lee Hotel

Winston-Salem, N. C.

Theme:

Nursing: Scrutiny–Reflection–Direction

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Pre-Convention Meetings

Tuesday, October 18

8:00 a.m.

Registration, Mezzanine, Robert E. Lee Hotel

9:00 a.m.

Annual Meeting, NCSNA Board of Directors, Salem Room, Robert E. Lee Hotel, Mrs. Ruth F. Peters, President, presiding

12:00 noon

Luncheon—NCSNA Advisory Council, Balinese Roof, Mrs. Ruth F. Peters, President, presiding

TOPIC: **Report on Developing 1967 Legislation**

SPEAKER: Eugene J. Smith, Charlotte, Co-Chairman, NCSNA Committee on Legislation

TOPIC: **Report on Proposal for NCSNA Biennial Conventions Alternating with Clinical Sessions**

SPEAKER: Dr. Eloise R. Lewis, Greensboro, Chairman, Ad Hoc Committee on NCSNA Biennial Conventions

DISCUSSION

2:00 p.m.

Annual Meeting, NCSNA Board of Directors (continuation of morning session)

2:00—5:00 p.m.

Educational Films, State Room

The Nurse in Emergency Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation

Rescue Breathing

What Happens Next? . . . Code 4

Still Going Places

Full Circle

7:00—10:00 p.m.

Educational Administrators, Consultants, and Teachers Section—Advisory Forum and Executive Committee Meeting

General Duty Nurses Section—Advisory Forum and Executive Committee Meeting

Head Nurses Section—Advisory Forum and Executive Committee Meeting

Nursing Service Administrators Section—Executive Committee Meeting

Occupational Health Nurses Section—Advisory Forum and Executive Committee Meeting.

Office Nurses Section—Advisory Forum and Executive Committee Meeting

Private Duty Section—Advisory Forum and Executive Committee Meeting

Public Health Nurses Section—Advisory Forum and Executive Committee Meeting

(To be held in rooms of section chairmen)

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Convention Program

Wednesday, October 19

8:00 a.m.

Registration, Mezzanine, Robert E. Lee Hotel

9:00 a.m.

Opening Business Session, North Carolina State Nurses' Association, Ballroom, Mrs. Ruth F. Peters, President, presiding

Invocation: Rev. James C. Hughes, Pastor, Home Moravian Church, Winston-Salem

Greetings: Jeanette Quinn, President of District Three

Response: Dr. Eloise R. Lewis, First Vice-President, NCSNA

Greetings from the North Carolina League for Nursing: Mrs. Patricia H. Conklin, President

Greetings from Student Nurse Association of North Carolina: Martha Honaker, President

Address of the President: Mrs. Ruth F. Peters

Special Guest: Col. Mildred I. Clark, Chief, Army Nurse Corps

TOPIC: **Nursing in the United States Army**

Report of Secretary: Mrs. Mary Edith Rogers

Report of Executive Director: Mrs. Marie B. Noell

Report of Counselor: Helen E. Peeler

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Report of North Carolina Medical Care Commission: Mrs. Margaret B. Dolan, NCSNA Representative

Report of North Carolina Committee on Patient Care: Martha M. Adams, NCSNA Representative

WEDNESDAY

Report of North Carolina Mental Health Council: Martha Clyde Davis, NCSNA and NCLN Representative

Report of Committee on Education for Nursing in North Carolina: Mrs. Eva W. Warren, Chairman

Reports of Standing Committees:

Bylaws and Study of ANA Functions—Mrs. Betty C. Eller

Convention Program—Lelia R. Clark

Economic and General Welfare—Mrs. Mary K. Kneedler

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Professional Nursing Practice—Mrs. Edith P. Brocker

Service Fund—Mrs. Mary B. Dellinger

Reports of Special Committees:

Allied Nursing Personnel—Miriam Daughtry and Louise Egan

NCSNA Memorial Loan Fund—Louise Yount

Nursing Care of Chronically Ill and Aged—Dr. Virginia J. Stone

Nursing in National Defense—Virginia M. Nelson

Reports of NCSNA Sections and Conference Group:

Educational Administrators, Consultants, and Teachers Section—Mrs. Naomi Wynn

General Duty Nurses Section—Mrs. Evelyn M. Sparks

Head Nurses Section—Mrs. Mary C. Davison

Nursing Service Administrators Section—Florence S. Schroeder

Occupational Health Nurses Section—Mrs. Virginia G. Cartlidge

Office Nurses Section—Ruby H. Dameron

Private Duty Nurses Section—Mrs. Juanita Clontz

Public Health Nurses Section—Mrs. Cleo G. Osborne

Operating Room Nurses Conference Group—Mary E. Orren

Reports of District Nurses' Associations:

One—Mrs. Evelyn M. Sparks
Two—Mrs. Wery C. Bennett
Three—Jeanette Quinn
Four—Mrs. Elizabeth Padgett
Five—Mrs. Alma McCracken
Six—Winnie M. Warren
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Twelve—Mrs. Elizabeth B. Wilson
Thirteen—Mrs. Elizabeth Mason
Fourteen—Mrs. Rowena N. Hooks
Fifteen—Mrs. Vonnie M. Norment
Sixteen—Mrs. Irene Greer
Seventeen—Mrs. Sue Wood
Eighteen—Mrs. June Baise
Nineteen—Mrs. Edna W. Few
Twenty—Mrs. Margaret D. Flye
Twenty-One—Mrs. Lucy M. Brown
Twenty-Two—Mrs. Myrtle B. McKeithan
Twenty-Three—Janet Rougier

Twenty-Four—Mrs. Eva M. McKeel
Twenty-Five—Mrs. Pansy G. Carson
Twenty-Six—Mrs. Eleanor C. Osborne
Twenty-Seven—Mrs. Bertha S. Blake
Twenty-Eight—Hazel Wilfong
Twenty-Nine—Mrs. Cathryne C. Kennedy
Thirty—Mrs. Mary Lee Steele
Thirty-One—Mrs. Geraldine S. Byrd

11:00 a.m.

Operating Room Nurses Conference Group, Annual Business Meeting, Piedmont Room, Mary Orren, Chairman, presiding

12:00 noon

Luncheon—Operating Room Nurses Conference Group, Balinese Roof, Mary Orren, Chairman, presiding

TOPIC: **Treatment of Patients in Liver Failure**

SPEAKER: Dr. Zolton Lucas, Jr., Assistant Professor of Surgery and Biochemistry, Duke University Medical School, and Clinical Investigator in Surgical Research, Veterans Administration Hospital, Durham

2:00 p.m.

NCSNA General Program Session, Ballroom, Dr. Eloise R. Lewis, First Vice-President, presiding

TOPIC: **Nursing: Scrutiny—Reflection—Direction**

SPEAKER: Ruth Neil Murry, Dean, College of Nursing, University of Tennessee, Memphis

3:30—5:00 p.m.

Private Duty Nurses Tea, Courtesy of District Three Private Duty Nurses, Winston-Salem Woman's Club, 952 W. Fourth Street

4:30—6:30 p.m.

NCSNA Voting, Mezzanine, Robert E. Lee Hotel

7:30 p.m.

NCSNA Banquet, Ballroom, Robert E. Lee Hotel

SPEAKER: Dr. Dale Gramley, President, Salem College, Winston-Salem

Thursday, October 20

7:30 a.m.

Breakfast for District Presidents, Winston Room, Lee Parker, NCSNA Insurance Administrator, host

8:00 a.m.

Registration, Mezzanine, Robert E. Lee Hotel

8:00—9:30 a.m.

NCSNA Voting, Mezzanine, Robert E. Lee Hotel

9:00—11:30 a.m.

Educational Administrators, Consultants, and Teachers Section—Annual Business Meeting, State Room, Mrs. Naomi Wynn, Chairman, presiding

Routine Business
Election of Officers

General Duty Nurses Section—Annual Business Meeting, Piedmont Room, Mrs. Evelyn M. Sparks, Chairman, presiding

Routine Business
Election of Officers

Head Nurses Section—Annual Business Meeting, Winston Room, Mrs. Mary C. Davison, Chairman, presiding

Routine Business
Election of Officers

Nursing Service Administrators Section—Annual Business Meeting, Ballroom, Florence S. Schroeder, Chairman, presiding

Routine Business
Election of Officers

Occupational Health Nurses Section—Annual Business Meeting, Sample Room 323, Mrs. Virginia G. Cartlidge, Chairman, presiding

Routine Business
Election of Officers

Office Nurses Section—Annual Business Meeting, Room 102, Ruby H. Dameron, Chairman, presiding

Routine Business
Election of Officers

Private Duty Nurses Section—Annual Business Meeting, Balinese Roof, Mrs. Juanita Clontz, Chairman, presiding

Routine Business
Election of Officers

Public Health Nurses Section—Annual Business Meeting, Salem Room, Mrs. Cleo G. Osborne, Chairman, presiding

11:30 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

NCSNA Voting, Mezzanine, Robert E. Lee Hotel

12:30 p.m.

Luncheon—Joint Section Program Session, Ballroom, Mrs. Ruth F. Peters, President, presiding

TOPIC: **The New ANA**

SPEAKER: Elizabeth H. Harmon, Director, General Duty Nurses Section, American Nurses' Association, New York

3:00—5:00 p.m.

Educational Administrators, Consultants, and Teachers, Head Nurses, and Nursing Service Administrators Sections, Joint Program Session, Ballroom, Mrs. Naomi Wynn, Mrs. Mary C. Davison, and Florence S. Schroeder, Chairmen

TOPIC: **Teaching and Practice—Expansion and Experimentation**

SPEAKERS: Mrs. Jessie Kiser, Director, Associate Degree School of Nursing, Piedmont Community College, Charlotte

Loree J. Fincher, Head Nurse, Charlotte Memorial Hospital, Charlotte

LISTENING PANEL: Mrs. Carrie H. Walden, Greensboro
Myrtle J. Barnette, Winston-Salem
Mrs. Jo Ann F. Cash, Winston-Salem

3:00—5:00 p.m.

General Duty Nurses Section Program Session, Balinese Roof, Mrs. Evelyn M. Sparks, Chairman, presiding

TOPIC: **Current Treatment of Burns—Emergency and Secondary**

SPEAKERS: Dr. Louis Shaffner, Associate Professor of Surgery, Bowman Gray School of Medicine, Winston-Salem

Dr. Julius A. Howell, Assistant Professor of Surgery (Plastic Surgeon), Bowman Gray School of Medicine, Winston-Salem

Nursing Care—Mrs. Betty G. Pikula, Supervisor, North Carolina Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem

3:00—5:00 p.m.

Occupational Health Nurses and Office Nurses Sections Program Session, Piedmont Room, Mrs. Virginia G. Cartlidge and Ruby H. Dameron, Chairmen

TOPIC: **How Well Do You Breathe?**

SPEAKER: Dr. Leo Heaphy, Assistant Professor of Medicine, Bowman Gray School of Medicine, Winston-Salem

FRIDAY

3:00—5:00 p.m.

Private Duty Nurses Section Program Session, State Room, Mrs. Juanita M. Clontz, Chairman, presiding

TOPIC: **Treatment and Prevention of Infections**

SPEAKER: Dr. Donald M. Hayes, Assistant Professor of Medicine, Bowman Gray School of Medicine, Winston-Salem

3:00—5:00 p.m.

Public Health Nurses Section Program Session, Salem Room, Mrs. Cleo Osborne, Chairman, presiding

TOPIC: **Interpersonal Relationships in Nursing**

SPEAKER: Mrs. Shirley Smoyak, Lecturer, Graduate Program in Advanced Psychiatric Nursing, Rutgers, The State University, Newark, N. J.

4:00—6:00 p.m.

NCSNA Voting, Mezzanine, Robert E. Lee Hotel

Friday, October 21

9:00 a.m.

NCSNA Closing Business Session, Balinese Roof, Mrs. Ruth F. Peters, President, presiding

Reports of Sections:

Educational Administrators, Consultants, and Teachers Section

General Duty Nurses Section

Head Nurses Section

Nursing Service Administrators Section

Occupational Health Nurses Section

Office Nurses Section

Private Duty Nurses Section
Public Health Nurses Section
Operating Room Nurses Conference Group

Report of Committee on Resolutions

Report of Tellers

Unfinished Business

New Business

Declaration of Officers

Adjournment

Post-Convention Meeting, NCSNA Board of Directors, Room 102, (will be held immediately after convention adjournment)

Executive Committee Day

All NCSNA section executive committees will meet jointly in Headquarters office on Thursday, December 1. Executive committees will meet separately to formulate budgets, appoint committees, and plan programs. At a joint luncheon, plans for spring workshops and conferences will be coordinated.

There will be no post-convention section executive committee meetings.

NOTES

Changes -
1. Increased expect of Pts (Relative truth) obtained information
2. Nursing leaders are committed & consumer desiderata -
→ Trend ?

Perspective
Put events in proper perspective - Time min - Rotation depend. 3.5 yr cycle 35 yr 35 growth.
2 Stockpiling of information

Implication
1. Cont Educ - not just degree

Drucker ?

Can structure be divorced that complicates
Attempts to make decision implies accountability for actions -

Nursing Pts in Hosp. etc & Com. -
Medicine Pts

Sitna Nsing

Revolution in Value System ?

Individuals bring the vision are responsible - to not impeded progress - to accept change as "new frontiers" - not frustration - to accept pact & pacing.